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Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator James A. Reed of Missouri may be selected as second choice candidate for the presidential nomination in southern states which are planning to cast their early convention ballots for favorite sons.

A movement has been set afoot in the Georgia representation in congress to name Reed as second choice in that state, and the Arkansas leaders likewise are discussing the plan.

The scheme was advanced to rally the opposition against Al Smith behind one man when the early favorite son convention votes are abandoned.

Georgia will be for Senator Walter George as a favorite son in the early balloting, but there is no serious belief at this time that George or any other southerner can be nominated. Arkansas will support Senator Joseph T. Robinson, democratic floor leader.

Nearly all the southern states will have favorite sons. They decided upon that plan some time ago so they could express their opposition to Smith without engaging in open home state battles on the Smith issue before the convention begins.

Reed is a wet and lacked popularity in the south ten years ago because he opposed some of Woodrow Wilson's policies. It might be difficult to swing the south behind him as a first choice candidate, but southern leaders believe they may get their state delegations to name him as second choice.

Many regard Reed as the only man who has a chance to beat Smith in the Houston convention next June and the bloc of northern votes might start a stampede for him if Smith is not nominated in the early ballots.

PATROLMAN SHOT TO DEATH BY FELLOW OFFICER

Columbus, O., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Patrolman L. W. Wade, 35, was shot to death here early today by Charles H. Lewis, 29, a fellow officer.

After killing Wade, Lewis went to the home of Patrolman Oscar Roush and threatened him. Intervention by Roush's wife saved him, detectives said.

Lewis surrendered and said he killed Wade and was going to shoot Roush because they visited his wife, Lillian, 27, early last night.

Mrs. Lewis was taken to the juvenile detention home.

BORN ON FEBRUARY 29, THIS CANADIAN HAD FEW BIRTHDAYS

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—In more than 100 years of life, Frederick W. Stevenson, recognized as Manitoba's oldest citizen, celebrated only 24 birthdays. He was born on Feb. 29, 1824.

Stevenson died at his home here Saturday. His funeral will be held Tuesday.

His birthday came every four years with the exception of 1900 when there was no leap year.

BOY OF 14 HELD FOR KILLING HIS SISTER, AGED 16

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Chester Fallon, 14, was held today for killing his sister, Anna May, 16, in a boy-and-girl argument while their parents were away from home.

To enliven a dull Sunday, Chester started a pillow fight. When his sister scolded him for making the pillows dirty, he brandished a pistol "just to scare her," he confessed. The weapon was discharged and the girl fell dead.

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BRIDGEPORT MATRON FEARS FOR SAFETY OF INFANT DAUGHTER

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—State troopers patrolled the grounds about the estate of Walter B. Lashar, millionaire president of the American Chain Company today while Mrs. Lashar sped south with their infant daughter, as a result of receipt of three letters demanding \$25,000.

The letters were signed by "The Iron Hand" and gave no indication of kidnapping. Police said the letters were written by some one who had a good education. The letters were received on January 10, 11 and 12. Since then the guard has been maintained at the mansion and flood lights have been thrown on the house at night. Once a bag was left at a spot the mysterious writer had named, but no one appeared.

The only threat of trouble came in the first letter which said: "If there is a slip we strike once and that one strike will be worth more to you than all your money."

Fearing the writer may be influenced by description of the kidnapping and murder of Marion Parker in Los Angeles, Mrs. Lashar left the estate for an unnamed southern destination, taking her young daughter with her.

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Duluth, Minn., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Funeral arrangements are being completed here today for Thomas A. Merritt, 45, prominent in lumber and mining circles. He died at his home here Sunday.

Merritt was also well known for his philanthropic work. He was the son of Napoleon Merritt, who, with six brothers, discovered the rich iron ore deposits of the Mesabie range.

Recently, T. A. Merritt gave 140 acres of land to the city of Duluth for park purposes as a memorial to the famous Merritt Brothers.

Surviving are the widow and a son, Carleton Merritt.

THROUGH RATE ON SOFT COAL ESTABLISHED

Washington, Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—A through rate on bituminous coal across Lake Michigan to the northwest from Virginia, West Virginia and Kentucky by the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Norfolk & Western was ordered established by the interstate commerce commission today.

Failure of the two lines to join with the Detroit & Toledo Shore Line, the Grand Trunk Railway system, and the Ann Arbor Railroad company in a joint through soft coal rate from the south to the northwest was declared unlawfully discriminatory. The two roads at present are charging joint rates east of Chicago, the commission said, but have not done so on Lake Michigan.

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He expects to leave here January 27—Friday—for Bogota and will land there that same day.

Other visits include: Caracas, Venezuela, January 29. Saint Thomas, Virgin Islands, January 31.

Porto Rico, February 2. Santo Domingo, February 4. Haiti, February 6. Havana, February 8.

He has not decided as yet on his plans after arriving in Havana.

The flying colonel was entertained Sunday by officials who took him on a tour of interesting places about Panama City. Today he will inspect his good will plane, the Spirit of St. Louis, which has been overhauled.

EVERYBODY TALKS, BUT FEW PAY FOR THE HALL

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—It cost to have free speech—in the Kansas City Open Forum.

The editor of the Open Forum magazine has decided that it costs too much to be editor and secretary for Kansas City's "safety valve" where speakers could air their opinions and ideas without fear or prejudice and with time their only limitation.

A hall and rostrum was necessary. That was what cost money. Too much money in fact. At any rate, John L. Jones, secretary and editor, who for the last four years has endeavored to make the Open Forum self-supporting, said too much money was involved.

The Open Forum existed by voluntary subscriptions. Such contributions were insufficient to meet the needs, according to Editor Jones. Jones broadcast an appeal that reads as follows:

"Wanted: editor and secretary for the Kansas City Open Forum; duties, mop and clean hall and class rooms, light the fires and see that hall and rooms are comfortably heated for all meetings; act as chairman of all meetings and referee of all discussions; compose and deliver four sermons a month on Sunday nights; edit and proof read the Open Forum weekly paper; type 1-500 names and addresses a week and mail paper to subscribers; visit members in hospitals and jails and other incidental duties. No salary, but applicant will be expected to pay the deficit which usually averages approximately \$15 a week. Steady job guaranteed to applicant who can meet the above requirements."

"The present editor and secretary is leaving the city March 1."

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Washington, Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—The body of Rear Admiral Victor Blue, U. S. N., retired, will be sent this afternoon to Marion, S. C., for burial.

Admiral Blue, 62, a Spanish-American and world war veteran, died from a heart attack near Landon, S. C., yesterday while on a train enroute to Jacksonville, Fla., to this city. He had planned to enter Walter Reed hospital here for treatment.

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Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator James A. Reed of Missouri may be selected as second choice candidate for the presidential nomination in southern states which are planning to cast their early convention ballots for favorite sons.

A movement has been set afoot in the Georgia representation in congress to name Reed as second choice in that state, and the Arkansas leaders likewise are discussing the plan.

The scheme was advanced to rally the opposition against Al Smith behind one man when the early favorite son convention votes are abandoned.

Georgia will be for Senator Walter George as a favorite son in the early balloting, but there is no serious belief at this time that George or any other southerner can be nominated. Arkansas will support Senator Joseph T. Robinson, democratic floor leader.

Nearly all the southern states will have favorite sons. They decided upon that plan some time ago so they could express their opposition to Smith without engaging in open home state battles on the Smith issue before the convention begins.

Reed is a wet and lacked popularity in the south ten years ago because he opposed some of Woodrow Wilson's policies. It might be difficult to swing the south behind him as a first choice candidate, but southern leaders believe they may get their state delegations to name him as second choice.

Many regard Reed as the only man who has a chance to beat Smith in the Houston convention next June and the bloc of northern votes might start a stampede for him if Smith is not nominated in the early ballots.

PATROLMAN SHOT TO DEATH BY FELLOW OFFICER

Columbus, O., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Patrolman L. W. Wade, 35, was shot to death here early today by Charles H. Lewis, 29, a fellow officer.

After killing Wade, Lewis went to the home of Patrolman Oscar Roush and threatened him. Intervention by Roush's wife saved him, detectives said.

Lewis surrendered and said he killed Wade and was going to shoot Roush because they visited his wife, Lillian, 27, early last night.

Mrs. Lewis was taken to the juvenile detention home.

BORN ON FEBRUARY 29, THIS CANADIAN HAD FEW BIRTHDAYS

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—In more than 100 years of life, Frederick W. Stevenson, recognized as Manitoba's oldest citizen, celebrated only 24 birthdays. He was born on Feb. 29, 1824.

Stevenson died at his home here Saturday. His funeral will be held Tuesday.

His birthday came every four years with the exception of 1900 when there was no leap year.

BOY OF 14 HELD FOR KILLING HIS SISTER, AGED 16

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Chester Fallon, 14, was held today for killing his sister, Anna May, 16, in a boy-and-girl argument while their parents were away from home.

To quell a dull Sunday, Chester started a pillow fight. When his sister scolded him for making the pillows dirty, he brandished a pistol "just to scare her," he confessed. The weapon was discharged and the girl fell dead.

STATE TROOPERS PATROL GROUNDS OF MILLIONAIRE

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BRIDGEPORT MATRON FEARS
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Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—State troopers patrolled the grounds about the estate of Walter B. Lashar, millionaire president of the American Chain Company today while Mrs. Lashar sped south with their infant daughter, as a result of receipt of three letters demanding \$25,000.

The letters were signed by "The Iron Hand" and gave no indication of kidnapping. Police said the letters were written by some one who had a good education. The letters were received on January 10, 11 and 12. Since then the guard has been maintained at the mansion and flood lights have been thrown on the house at night. Once a bag was left at a spot the mysterious writer had named, but no one appeared.

The only threat of trouble came in the first letter which said: "If there is aslip we strike once and that one strike will be worth more to you than all your money."

Fearing the writer may be influenced by description of the kidnapping and murder of Marion Parker in Los Angeles, Mrs. Lashar left the estate for an unnamed southern destination, taking her young daughter with her.

FUNERAL RITES FOR THOS. A. MERRITT

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—Funeral arrangements are being completed here today for Thomas A. Merritt, 45, prominent in lumber and mining circles. He died at his home here Sunday.

Merritt was also well known for his philanthropic work.

He was the son of Napoleon Merritt, who, with six brothers, discovered the rich iron ore deposits of the Mesaba range.

Recently, T. A. Merritt gave 140 acres of land to the city of Duluth for park purposes as a memorial to the famous Merritt Brothers.

Surviving are the widow and a son, Carleton Merritt.

THROUGH RATE ON SOFT COAL ESTABLISHED

Washington, Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—A through rate on bituminous coal across Lake Michigan to the northwest from Virginia, West Virginia and Kentucky by the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Norfolk & Western was ordered established by the interstate commerce commission today.

Failure of the two lines to join with the Detroit & Toledo Shore Line, the Grand Trunk Railway system, and the Ann Arbor Railroad company in a joint through soft coal rate from the south to the northwest was declared unlawfully discriminatory. The two roads at present are charging joint rates east of Chicago, to the commission said, but have not done so on Lake Michigan.

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He expects to leave here January 27—Friday—for Bogota and will land there that same day.

Other visits include: Caracas, Venezuela, January 29. Saint Thomas, Virgin Islands, January 31.

Porto Rico, February 2. Santo Domingo, February 4. Haiti, February 6. Havana, February 8.

He has not decided as yet on his plans after arriving in Havana.

The flying colonel was entertained Sunday by officials who took him on a tour of interesting places about Panama City. Today he will inspect his good will plane, the Spirit of St. Louis, which has been overhauled.

EVERYBODY TALKS, BUT FEW PAY FOR THE HALL

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 23.—(U.P.)—It cost to have free speech—in the Kansas City Open Forum.

The editor of the Open Forum magazine has decided that it costs too much to be editor and secretary for Kansas City's "safety valve" where speakers could air their opinions and ideas without fear or prejudice and with time their only limitation.

A hall and rostrum was necessary. That was what cost money. Too much money, in fact. At any rate, John L. Jones, secretary and editor, who for the last four years has endeavored to make the Open Forum self-supporting, said too much money was involved.

The Open Forum existed by voluntary subscriptions. Such contributions were insufficient to meet the needs, according to Editor Jones.

Jones broadcast an appeal that reads as follows:

"Wanted: editor and secretary for the Kansas City Open Forum; duties, mop and clean hall and class rooms, light the fires and see that hall and rooms are comfortably heated for all meetings; act as chairman of all meetings and referees of all discussions; compose and deliver four sermons a month on Sunday nights; edit and proof read the Open Forum weekly paper; type 1-500 names and addresses a week and mail paper to subscribers; visit members in hospitals and jails and other incidental duties. No salary, but applicant will be expected to pay the deficit which usually averages approximately \$15 a week. Steady job guaranteed to applicant who can meet the above requirements."

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR REAR ADMIRAL VICTOR BLUE, U. S. N.

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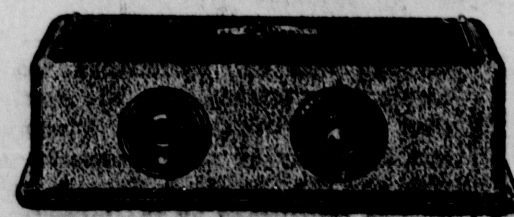
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Past Matrons of Eastern Star
The Past Matrons club O. E. S. will be entertained tomorrow afternoon in the Masonic parlors by Mrs. Mary Carlson and Mrs. Midge Fisher.

Entertains at Dinner
Mrs. Sol Markee of Pequot entertained at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Myron MacMillan of St. Paul, who was a week end guest of Mrs. Joseph Midgley.

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MUSICAL CLUB
CONCERT PLEASING

Elizabeth Kerr and Delphine Lindstrom Heard in Recital

Accompanist, Miss Lindstrom, Also Wins Highest Praise

The Musical club was entertained on Sunday by two pretty and charming young ladies, when Elizabeth Kerr with Delphine Lindstrom gave a very interesting and varied program. The songs, which were apparently very simple, gave ample opportunity for Miss Kerr to demonstrate her voice control, and her wide range and volume. At all times she remained absolutely true to pitch, even in the very high and sustained passages that are a strain on any singer. As the years go on, she will no doubt develop in her art and achieve the ability even more to hold her audience by the force of her personality. One missed the charming informality of Carlo Fishner's taking the audience into his confidence.

Miss Lindstrom played with a charm and restraint that was a joy to the listeners. Those who sat near enough to watch her hands at the piano had a double pleasure. Her accompaniment was superior to that of any other pianist this year, for it was always accurate, well played, and yet never anything but a perfect background for the voice. She added much to the afternoon's pleasure.

The program was divided into four groups, two English and the other two French and German. Miss Kerr enunciation was good, but the foreign songs would have been more enjoyed had she explained their nature. One can so much more appreciate the light and airy notes that a singer takes with so much ease and joy if one knew that a butterfly was flitting over the heather, or a lover rejoicing over his good fortune.

It is rather difficult to select any songs for special mention from among so many, but The Mermaid's Song and Bizet's Je Dis, que rien ne m'Epouvante were especially enjoyed by the audience as evidenced by their very enthusiastic attention and applause. Her last regular number Musetta's Valse from La Boheme, was very well given and thoroughly appreciated.

In addition to her regular program, Miss Kerr graciously sang three encores in response to demand, very lovely and varied songs, taken with ease and a clearness and definiteness of tone that showed her mastery of the art of singing.

The Elks hall was crowded with a very good audience, an appreciative and interested one that enjoyed the afternoon thoroughly.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Theatre patrons were thrown into a near-panic when a bandit was killed while attempting to rob the box office. Screams of a cashier attracted a night-watchman, who shot the bandit.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Thomas Teller, 41, formerly of Monroe, Mich., was killed here when he either fell or jumped from the fifth floor of the Michael Reese hospital where he had been a patient since January 17.

Swanson-Graff
Miss Christine Graff became the bride of Owen J. Swanson on Saturday evening, January 21, at the Bethlehem Lutheran parsonage. Rev. J. R. Michaelson officiating. Mrs. Lewis Handeland, sister of the bride and Darrel Nash were the attendants.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Graff. The young couple expect to make their home in Mason City, Iowa after February 1.

NATIONAL TEA APPOINTEES
Owen Peaslee Made New Manager of National Tea Company Here

J. M. Stark, of Hibbing, division superintendent of the National Tea company, spent the week end in the city making his regular calls and attending to details of the transfer in which Owen Peaslee was made new manager of the National Tea company here. He was formerly with the Consumers. Mr. Peaslee has lived in Brainerd nearly all his life and was manager of the Daggett Brook store on South Thirteenth street for several years.

Harry Erickson, former manager of the National Tea company has been transferred to a larger store in Duluth. He has made many friends during his four months in Brainerd and appreciates the patronage given him.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Countess Helen L. M. De Bournat, descendant of the Bourbon kings, was married here to Clifton J. Knodle. The romance began during the World war.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Newspaper offices and radio stations were besieged with calls here when a report circulated that Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh had been killed in an airplane crash. Source of the rumor has not been determined.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
AT Y.M.C.A. THIS WEEK

Monday—Evangelical church basketball, 7 to 9.
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Tuesday—Methodist church basketball, 7 to 8:30.
Wednesday—Hi-Y club, 6.
Wednesday—Bethlehem Lutheran basketball, 7 to 9.
Wednesday—Church League basketball meeting 7:30.
Thursday—Deer Creek vs Deer Creek high school 8:30.
Thursday—Presbyterian basketball, 7.
Friday—Pioneer Boys club, 7 to 8.
Friday—Clara Lutheran basketball, 7.
Saturday—Hi-Y basketball, 2 to 4.

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ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR INLAND WATERWAYS RECOMMEND APPROPRIATION

NEW GENERAL MANAGER APPOINTED TO OPERATE RIGHT ON RIVER

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Creation of a position of general manager, the forcing of a "hands-off" policy by General T. Q. Ashburn on barge control and an appropriation of \$10,000,000 for new equipment have been recommended for the Mississippi river barge line by the advisory council of the Inland Waterways Corporation which met recently at Washington, S. S. Thorpe, Minneapolis member of the council, announced today.

General Ashburn will be forced to keep his hands off the control of barges, although he will continue to represent the war department, the council agreed, according to Thorpe.

"We reached an agreement whereby Gen. Ashburn no longer will be able to interfere with workings of the barge line," Thorpe said. "There will be a new position created, that of general manager. He will be a western man, and will operate right on the river. A new man will be appointed to replace Theodore Brent, traffic manager, who was dismissed so summarily by Gen. Ashburn last year. Men now are being considered for these posts; and while I don't have any idea who will be appointed, they will be efficient or we will know the reason why."

"The council also recommended an appropriation of \$10,000,000 and I believe congress is favorable. About \$2,850,000 of this would be devoted to increasing facilities on the upper Mississippi river."

"We made this recommendation on basis of the report of the department of commerce, which said that 7,000,000 tons of freight will be available next year."

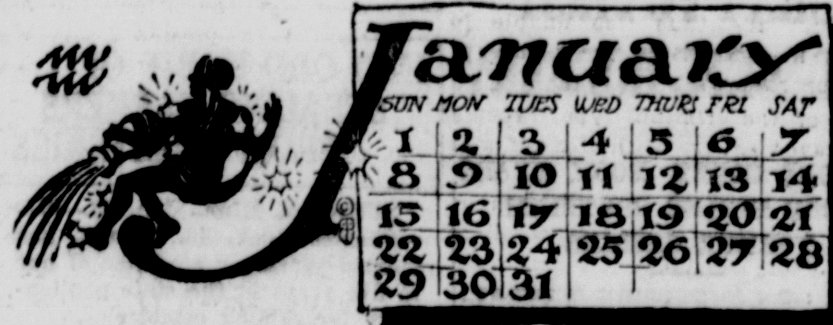
"A great deal of pressure is being brought to bear on congress to pass this by Mississippi river valley businessmen and shippers, all of whom are anxious to see the barge line succeed."

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Premier Mussolini of Italy has refused to allow owners of the Biblioteca Canale di Crespiano Italy to sell the famous collection to the Newberry library in Chicago, it was announced here. The Italian collection contains 20,000 volumes on Italian art.

DAILY DISPATCH BIRTHDAY
CLUB FOR THE KIDDIES

How many of you kiddie readers would like to belong to a Birthday club and have your name published on the day of your birthday? Don't you think that would be fun? Just send a letter to the Birthday editor in care of the Brainerd Dispatch, with the coupon below filled out. The age limit is up to fourteen years of age. Whenever you have a party send it in to me. Coupon must be in four days before birthday.

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BOWL OF GOLDFISH
WAS ONLY LOOT

2 MEN ARRESTED IN MILL CITY NOW CONFESS OTHER ROBBERIES

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Two girls, said by police to be companionate wives of the men, are being sought today as a result of statements given by the prisoners.

The men are Norman Hanson, 23, on parole from the reformatory at St. Cloud, and Fred Stone, 23, who recently served a two-year term at a federal penitentiary.

They have confessed to obtaining about \$6,000 worth of furniture and groceries over a period of a month, police reported. Most of the homes robbed had been closed for the winter months.

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The Rebekah Social club will meet Tuesday afternoon, January 24, at the L. O. O. F. hall. The hostesses are Mrs. H. Dyvik, Mrs. N. Engstrom and Mrs. A. Walstrand.

Past Matrons of Eastern Star

The Past Matrons club O. E. S. will be entertained tomorrow afternoon in the Masonic parlors by Mrs. Mary Carlson and Mrs. Midge Fisher.

Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. Sol Markee of Pequot entertained at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Myron MacMillan of St. Paul, who was a week end guest of Mrs. Joseph Midgley.

MUSICAL CLUB
CONCERT PLEASING

Elizabeth Kerr and Delphine Lindstrom Heard in Recital

Accompanist, Miss Lindstrom, Also Wins Highest Praise

The Musical club was entertained on Sunday by two pretty and charming young ladies, when Elizabeth Kerr with Delphine Lindstrom gave a very interesting and varied program. The songs, which were apparently very simple, gave ample opportunity for Miss Kerr to demonstrate her voice control, and her wide range and volume. At all times she remained absolutely true to pitch, even in the very high and sustained passages that are a strain on any singer. As the years go on, she will no doubt develop in her art and achieve the ability even more to hold her audience by the force of her personality. One missed the charming informality of Carlo Fissler's taking the audience into his confidence.

Miss Lindstrom played with a charm and restraint that was a joy to the listeners. Those who sat near enough to watch her hands at the piano had a double pleasure. Her accompaniment was superior to that of any other pianist this year, for it was always accurate, well played, and yet never anything but a perfect background for the voice. She added much to the afternoon's pleasure.

The program was divided into four groups, two English and the other two French and German. Miss Kerr enunciation was good, but the foreign songs would have been more enjoyed had she explained their nature. One can so much more appreciate the light and airy notes that a singer takes with so much ease and joy if one knew that a butterfly was flitting over the heather, or a lover rejoicing over his good fortune.

It is rather difficult to select any songs for special mention from among so many, but The Mermaid's Song and Bizet's Je dis, que rien ne m'epouvante were especially enjoyed by the audience as evidenced by their very enthusiastic attention and applause. Her last regular number Musetta's Valse from La Boheme, was very well given and thoroughly appreciated.

In addition to her regular program, Miss Kerr graciously sang three encores in response to demand, very lovely and varied songs, taken with ease and a clearness and definiteness of tone that showed her mastery of the art of singing.

The Elks hall was crowded with a very good audience, an appreciative and interested one that enjoyed the afternoon thoroughly.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Theatre patrons were thrown into a near-panic when a bandit was killed while attempting to rob the box office. Screams of a cashier attracted a night-watchman, who shot the bandit.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Thomas Teller, 41, formerly of Monroe, Mich., was killed here when he either fell or jumped from the fifth floor of the Michael Reese hospital where he had been a patient since January 17.

Swanson-Graff

Miss Christine Graff became the bride of Owen J. Swanson on Saturday evening, January 21, at the Bethlehem Lutheran parsonage, Rev. J. R. Michaelson officiating. Mrs. Lewis Handeland, sister of the bride and Darrel Nash were the attendants.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Graff. The young couple expect to make their home in Mason City, Iowa after February 1.

NATIONAL TEA APPOINTEES

Owen Peaslee Made New Manager of National Tea Company Here

J. M. Stark, of Hibbing, division superintendent of the National Tea company, spent the week end in the city making his regular calls and attending to details of the transfer in which Owen Peaslee was made new manager of the National Tea company here. He was formerly with the Consumers. Mr. Peaslee has lived in Brainerd nearly all his life and was manager of the Daggett Brook store on South Thirteenth street for several years.

Harry Erickson, former manager of the National Tea company has been transferred to a larger store in Duluth. He has made many friends during his four months in Brainerd and appreciates the patronage given him.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Countess Helen L. M. De Bournat, descendant of the Bourbon kings, was married here to Clifton J. Knodle. The romance began during the World war.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Newspaper offices and radio stations were besieged with calls here when a report circulated that Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh had been killed in an airplane crash. Source of the rumor has not been determined.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
AT Y.M.C.A. THIS WEEK

Monday—Evangelical church basketball, 7 to 9.

Monday—Friendly Indian club, 7 to 8.

Tuesday—Methodist church basketball, 7 to 8:30.

Wednesday—Hi-Y club, 6.

Wednesday—Bethlehem Lutheran basketball, 7 to 9.

Wednesday—Church League basketball meeting 7:30.

Thursday—Deer Creek vs Deer Creek high school 8:30.

Thursday—Presbyterian basketball, 7.

Friday—Pioneer Boys club, 7 to 8.

Friday—Clara Lutheran basketball, 7.

Saturday—Hi-Y basketball, 2 to 4.

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WATERWAYS RECOMMEND
APPROPRIATIONNEW GENERAL MANAGER
AP-
POINTEE TO OPERATE
RIGHT ON RIVER

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Creation of a position of general manager, the forcing of a "hands-off" policy by General T. Q. Ashburn on barge control and an appropriation of \$10,000,000 for new equipment have been recommended for the Mississippi river barge line by the advisory council of the Inland Waterways Corporation which met recently at Washington, S. S. Thorpe, Minneapolis member of the council, announced today.

General Ashburn will be forced to keep his hands off the control of barges, although he will continue to represent the war department, the council agreed, according to Thorpe.

"We reached an agreement whereby Gen. Ashburn no longer will be able to interfere with workings of the barge line," Thorpe said. "There will be a new position created, that of general manager. He will be a western man, and will operate right on the river. A new man will be appointed to replace Theodore Brent, traffic manager, who was dismissed so summarily by Gen. Ashburn last year. Men now are being considered for these posts; and while I don't have any idea who will be appointed, they will be efficient or we will know the reason why."

"The council also recommended an appropriation of \$10,000,000 and I believe congress is favorable. About \$2,850,000 of this would be devoted to increasing facilities on the upper Mississippi river."

"We made this recommendation on basis of the report of the department of commerce, which said that 7,000,000 tons of freight will be available next year."

"A great deal of pressure is being brought to bear on congress to pass this by Mississippi river valley businessmen and shippers, all of whom are anxious to see the barge line succeed."

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Premier Mussolini of Italy has refused to allow owners of the Biblioteca Canale of Crespano Italy to sell the famous collection to the Newberry library in Chicago, it was announced here. The Italian collection contains 20,000 volumes on Italian art.

DAILY DISPATCH BIRTHDAY
CLUB FOR THE KIDDIES

How many of you kiddie readers would like to belong to a Birthday club and have your name published on the day of your birthday? Don't you think that would be fun? Just send a letter to the Birthday editor in care of the Brainerd Dispatch, with the coupon below filled out. The age limit is up to fourteen years of age. Whenever you have a party send it in to me. Coupon must be in four days before birthday.

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BOWL OF GOLDFISH
WAS ONLY LOOT2 MEN ARRESTED IN MILL CITY
NOW CONFESS OTHER ROBBERIES

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Two men arrested late Sunday in a vacant house here today confessed to police their guilt in a number of unsolved home robberies. They admitted, police said, that at one home a bowl of goldfish was their only loot.

Two girls, said by police to be companionate wives of the men, are being sought today as a result of statements given by the prisoners.

The men are Norman Hanson, 23, on parole from the reformatory at St. Cloud, and Fred Stone, 23, who recently served a two-year term at a federal penitentiary.

They have confessed to obtaining about \$6,000 worth of furniture and groceries over a period of a month, police reported. Most of the homes robbed had been closed for the winter months.

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While the employees of the bank and Mr. Lindahl complied with the bandits' gruff orders, the yeggmen scooped up packets of currency and gold from the till and pilfered the cash drawers. The employees of the bank and Mr. Lindahl were then forced into the open vault and the door locked. The escape of the bandits came by means of a waiting automobile with the fourth confederate in the actual holdup ready to leave. The car was noticed traveling through the streets of the range town slowly, gaining speed as it neared and passed the city limits.

Ten minutes later the imprisoned bank employees and the school superintendent were released from the vault by a former employee of the bank.

Proctor maintained remarkable presence of mind by telephoning the authorities and notifying them of the robbery.

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin and his deputies were among the first to arrive on the scene of the crime while police and bank detectives all through the state were notified to keep a close lookout for the bandits.

Charles D. Brown, head of the protective department of the Minnesota Bankers Association was one of the officials notified. He arrived in Brainerd the next day and customary to his practice maintained a discreet silence throughout the days preceding the arrest of Proctor. His attitude to the case was solely to see the guilty party arrested and dealt with by the law for the protection of the people and banking institutions.

W. F. Rhinow, head of the state crime bureau arrived in Ironton the

same evening of the robbery and his fingerprint experts were able to pick off prints from the desks and the vault.

Current with the investigation by the authorities of the holdup came Proctor's nervous attitude and fear of arrest. Sheriff Theorin suspected the former cashier from the time of the actual robbery and is said to have accused Proctor the same evening of being party to the crime. Proctor at that time made the statement that he knew nothing of it.

Two weeks after the robbery Proctor recovered the stolen money from the basement vault, according to his confession. He was at a loss to know at that time what to do with it. Meeting P. J. Long, state legislator, on the street the same afternoon he requested Long, it is reported, to keep a certain package for him.

Long received the package and was informed by Proctor two days later, according to the confession, that the package contained money taken from the bank. Through his long friendship for Proctor, Long, it is stated, agreed to conceal the money. He was requested to give the money to Proctor's family in case anything happened.

On December 11, Sheriff Claus Theorin, deputy sheriffs and Charles D. Brown went to Ironton prepared to arrest Proctor on suspicion charges. Proctor was reached by Sheriff Theorin at his home by telephone from the bank. He was requested to come to the bank immediately as they had matters to discuss with him.

Proctor was greeted at his arrival at the bank with Sheriff Theorin's request to come to Brainerd with them to answer questions pertaining to the robbery. The former cashier did not hesitate in complying with the request.

Questioned in the sheriff's office by County Attorney Walter F. Wieland, Proctor admitted his part of the crime.

Hearing of Proctor's arrest, Long came to visit his friend in the county jail the same afternoon of his arrest. The legislator was called in to the office of the sheriff and, according to Sheriff Theorin, admitted he was keeping the money for Proctor.

He took the officials to the cache, it is stated, and \$10,000 of the stolen money was recovered. Deputy Sheriff Charles Oberg found the money neatly packed in a butter jar in an old root cellar in a building owned by P. J. Long. The building was formerly operated as a movie theatre, next to a pool room.

Sheriff Theorin this morning denied the statement that detectives were employed to watch developments at Ironton.

Shortly before his arrest Proctor received a telephone call from the "go between" requesting \$2,000. Proctor, it is stated, refused to give the money and the bandit threatened to "get him" soon.

On December 23 the special grand jury summoned returned two indictments against Proctor and others by fictitious names, one indictment charging entering a bank with intent to commit a felony therein by means of threat, force and violence, and the other indictment charging robbery in the first degree. On December 27, Proctor pleaded not guilty. He engaged Fryberger, Fulton and Boyle, of Duluth and D. B. McAlpine of Ironton to fight his case for him.

During the last few days however Proctor was undecided in regards to the entering of his plea but his intention to plead guilty was definitely decided yesterday. He made the

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THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



statement that he could not tell a lie on his oath on the witness stand.

State Legislator P. J. Long who faces four indictments of receiving stolen money from Almon H. Proctor, cashier of the bank will be tried at the May term of the district court. He is at present a patient in the St. Joseph's hospital suffering from acute stages of diabetes. His wife was also a patient at the hospital with thyroid trouble. They are reported as doing as nicely as can be expected.

SNOW FORECAST FOR MINNESOTA

(By United Press)

Snow will cover most of Minnesota and several other northwest states tonight and Tuesday, the weather forecaster predicted today.

No decided change in the temperature is expected, however, with the exception of warmer weather in the north and northwestern parts of Minnesota where below zero readings were recorded today.

At St. Paul the low mark reached today was 8 above zero. At International Falls 3 below zero was recorded.

The snow which is expected to reach central and southern Minnesota late today will continue Tuesday, the forecaster said. No great amount of wind is expected to accompany the fall.

TANKERS COLLIDE IN SHIP CHANNEL NEAR HOUSTON, TEX.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 23.—(UP)—The Dutch tanker Mytilus was tied up at a dock and the Sinclair Refining Co. tanker Albert E. Watte was preparing to return to Slaco docks today, following a collision Sunday in the ship channel between Penn City and Lynchburg.

A hole was torn in the bow of the

CONSTIPATION IS SOURCE OF DANGER

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The chances are nine to one you are suffering some of the ill effects of constipation—medical science says 90% of modern city people are effected. You may not know the cause—your bowel movements may actually be regular. But in many cases they are incomplete, and decayed material remains in the intestine to poison the entire system. Headaches, lassitude, backache, sleeplessness, bad dreams, nervousness, loss of appetite, lowered vitality and increased susceptibility to serious diseases which may result in premature disability or death—this is the price of intestinal poisoning. Don't trifle with it!

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4,000 RAILROAD EMPLOYEES WANT HIGHER WAGES

St. Paul, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Demands of 4,000 railroad employees for wage increases amounting to \$250,000 annually will be heard before a board of arbitration meeting tomorrow.

These demands have been made by the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks of the Great Northern railroad and will amount to an increase of 10 cents an hour.

The meeting will be the first of its kind to be held here under the new railroad labor act. It granted the increases will be retroactive to Oct. 1, 1927.

The hearing will have a direct bearing on seven others now being arbitrated. They affect the New York Central, Southern, Boston & Maine, Illinois Central, Wabash, Northwestern and Southern Pacific.

The Brotherhood of Clerks consists of clerical workers, freight handlers, station and storehouse employees.

DIVERTING ARMY ALCOHOL CASE IN CHICAGO COURT

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Attorneys for Capt. J. Leland Bass, charged with diverting army alcohol, executed a surprise maneuver today by an apparent attempt to fasten on Warrant Officer Richard L. Surrat responsibility for alcohol diversions for which Bass is being tried before an army court-martial board.

Surrat indignantly denied any responsibility for transfer of the alcohol.

LIEUTENANT BALCHEN FLYING TO WINNIPEG

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Lieut. Brent Balchen, member of Commander Richard Byrd's trans-Atlantic flight crew departed from the airport at 10:05 A. M. today en route to Winnipeg. He will make one stop at Fargo. The plane arrived here at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Chicago.

Lieut. Balchen is flying a Fokker plane, one of six which he will deliver to the Western Canada Airways at Winnipeg.

Accompanying Balchen is John Henry Mears who encircled the globe in 35 days last year.

BODY OF GOETHALS RESTS IN OLD CADET CHAPEL, WEST POINT

New York, Jan. 23.—(UP)—The body of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, will rest in the old cadet chapel of West Point military academy until the funeral services tomorrow.

Goethals' body will be buried in the army cemetery at the academy. He was a cadet at West Point 30 years ago. The funeral escort will be members of Co. B, the company Gen. Goethals commanded in his cadet days. Goethals died Saturday.

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Mrs. Charlotte Lupino, mother of the English comedian, Lupino Lane, has been granted an extension of her stay in this country. Originally she was told to terminate her visit, February 1.

Sunsmuir, Calif., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Arthur Starbuck, airmail pilot, was seriously injured when his plane crashed into a telephone pole in Shasta city. Blinding snow caused the accident.

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While the employees of the bank and Mr. Lindahl complied with the bandits' gruff orders, the yeggmen scooped up packets of currency and gold from the till and pilfered the cash drawers. The employees of the bank and Mr. Lindahl were then forced into the open vault and the door locked. The escape of the bandits came by means of a waiting automobile with the fourth confederate in the actual holdup ready to leave. The car was noticed traveling through the streets of the range town slowly, gaining speed as it neared and passed the city limits.

Ten minutes later the imprisoned bank employees and the school superintendent were released from the vault by a former employee of the bank.

Proctor maintained remarkable presence of mind by telephoning the authorities and notifying them of the robbery.

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin and his deputies were among the first to arrive on the scene of the crime while police and bank detectives all through the state were notified to keep a close lookout for the bandits. Charles D. Brown, head of the protective department of the Minnesota Bankers Association was one of the officials notified. He arrived in Brainerd the next day and customary to his practice maintained a discreet silence throughout the days preceding the arrest of Proctor. His attitude to the case was solely to see the guilty party arrested and dealt with by the law for the protection of the people and banking institutions. He prepared himself to investigate all clues to the robbery and wait out events.

W. F. Rhuow, head of the state crime bureau arrived in Ironton the

same evening of the robbery and his fingerprint experts were able to pick off prints from the desks and the vault.

Current with the investigation by the authorities of the holdup came Proctor's nervous attitude and fear of arrest. Sheriff Theorin suspected the former cashier from the time of the actual robbery and is said to have accused Proctor the same evening of being party to the crime. Proctor at that time made the statement that he knew nothing of it.

Two weeks after the robbery Proctor recovered the stolen money from the basement vault, according to his confession. He was at a loss to know at that time what to do with it. Meeting P. J. Long, state legislator, on the street the same afternoon he requested Long, it is reported, to keep a certain package for him.

Long received the package and was informed by Proctor two days later, according to the confession, that the package contained money taken from the bank. Through his long friendship for Proctor, Long, it is stated, agreed to conceal the money. He was requested to give the money to Proctor's family in case anything happened.

On December 11, Sheriff Claus Theorin, deputy sheriffs and Charles D. Brown went to Ironton prepared to arrest Proctor on suspicion charges. Proctor was reached by Sheriff Theorin at his home by telephone from the bank. He was requested to come to the bank immediately as they had matters to discuss with him.

Proctor was greeted at his arrival at the bank with Sheriff Theorin's request to come to Brainerd with them to answer questions pertaining to the robbery. The former cashier did not hesitate in complying with the request.

Questioned in the sheriff's office by County Attorney Walter F. Wieland, Proctor admitted his part of the crime.

Hearing of Proctor's arrest, Long came to visit his friend in the county jail the same afternoon of his arrest. The legislator was called in to the office of the sheriff and, according to Sheriff Theorin, admitted he was keeping the money for Proctor. He took the officials to the cache, it is stated, and \$10,000 of the stolen money was recovered.

Deputy Sheriff Charles Oberg found the money neatly packed in a butter jar in an old root cellar in a building owned by P. J. Long. The building was formerly operated as a movie theatre, next to a pool room.

Sheriff Theorin this morning denied the statement that detectives were employed to watch developments at Ironton.

Shortly before his arrest Proctor received a telephone call from the "go between" requesting \$2,000. Proctor, it is stated, refused to give the money and the bandit threatened to "get him" soon.

On December 23 the special grand jury summoned returned two indictments against Proctor and others by fictitious names, one indictment charging entering a bank with intent to commit a felony therein by means of threat, force and violence, and the other indictment charging robbery in the first degree. On December 27, Proctor pleaded not guilty. He engaged Fryberger, Fulton and Boyle, of Duluth and D. B. McAlpine of Ironton to fight his case for him.

During the last few days however Proctor was undecided in regards to the entering of his plea but his intention to plead guilty was definitely decided yesterday. He made the

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THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



statement that he could not tell a lie on his oath on the witness stand.

State Legislator P. J. Long who faces four indictments of receiving stolen money from Almon H. Proctor, cashier of the bank will be tried at the May term of the district court. He is at present a patient in the St. Joseph's hospital suffering from acute stages of diabetes. His wife was also a patient at the hospital with thyroid trouble. They are reported as doing as nicely as can be expected.

SNOW FORECAST FOR MINNESOTA

(By United Press)

Snow will cover most of Minnesota and several other northwest states tonight and Tuesday, the weather forecaster predicted today.

No decided change in the temperature is expected, however, with the exception of warmer weather in the north and northwestern parts of Minnesota where below zero readings were recorded today.

At St. Paul the low mark reached today was 8 above zero. At International Falls 3 below zero was recorded.

The snow which is expected to reach central and southern Minnesota late today will continue Tuesday, the forecaster said. No great amount of wind is expected to accompany the fall.

TANKERS COLLIDE IN SHIP CHANNEL NEAR HOUSTON, TEX.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 23.—(UP)—The Dutch tanker *Mytilus* was tied up at a dock and the Sinclair Refining Co. tanker *Albert E. Watte* was preparing to return to Slaco docks today, following a collision Sunday in the ship channel between Penn City and Lynchburg.

A hole was torn in the bow of the

CONSTIPATION IS SOURCE OF DANGER

Science Says 90% Suffer From Intestinal Poisoning

The chances are nine to one you are suffering some of the ill effects of constipation—medical science says 90% of modern city people are affected. You may not know the cause—your bowel movements may actually be regular. But in many cases they are incomplete, and decayed material remains in the intestine to poison the entire system.

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4,000 RAILROAD EMPLOYEES WANT HIGHER WAGES

St. Paul, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Demands of 4,000 railroad employees for wage increases amounting to \$250,000 annually will be heard before a board of arbitration meeting tomorrow.

These demands have been made by the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks of the Great Northern railroad and will amount to an increase of 10 cents an hour.

The meeting will be the first of its kind to be held here under the new railroad labor act. It granted the increases will be retroactive to Oct. 1, 1927.

The hearing will have a direct bearing on seven others now being arbitrated. They affect the New York Central, Southern, Boston & Maine, Illinois Central, Wabash, Northwestern and Southern Pacific. The Brotherhood of Clerks consists of clerical workers, freight handlers, station and storehouse employees.

DIVERTING ARMY ALCOHOL CASE IN CHICAGO COURT

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Attorneys for Capt. J. Leland Bass, charged with diverting army alcohol, executed a surprise maneuver today by an apparent attempt to fasten on Warrant Officer Richard L. Surrat responsibility for alcohol diversions for which Bass is being tried before an army court-martial board.

Surrat indignantly denied any responsibility for transfer of the alcohol.

LIEUTENANT BALCHEN FLYING TO WINNIPEG

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Lieut. Brent Balchen, member of Commander Richard Byrd's trans-Atlantic flight crew departed from the airport at 10:05 A. M. today en route to Winnipeg. He will make one stop at Fargo. The plane arrived here at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Chicago.

Lieut. Balchen is flying a Fokker plane, one of six which he will deliver to the Western Canada Airways at Winnipeg.

Accompanying Balchen is John Henry Mears who encircled the globe in 35 days last year.

BODY OF GOETHALS RESTS IN OLD CADET CHAPEL, WEST POINT

New York, Jan. 23.—(UP)—The body of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, will rest in the old cadet chapel of West Point military academy until the funeral services tomorrow.

Goethals' body will be buried in the army cemetery at the academy. He was a cadet at West Point 30 years ago. The funeral escort will be members of Co. B, the company Gen. Goethals commanded in his cadet days. Goethals died Saturday.

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Mrs. Charlotte Lupino, mother of the English comedian, Lupino Lane, has been granted an extension of her stay in this country. Originally she was told to terminate her visit, February 1.

Sunsmuir, Calif., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Arthur Starbuck, airmail pilot, was seriously injured when his plane crashed into a telephone pole in Shasta city. Blinding snow caused the accident.

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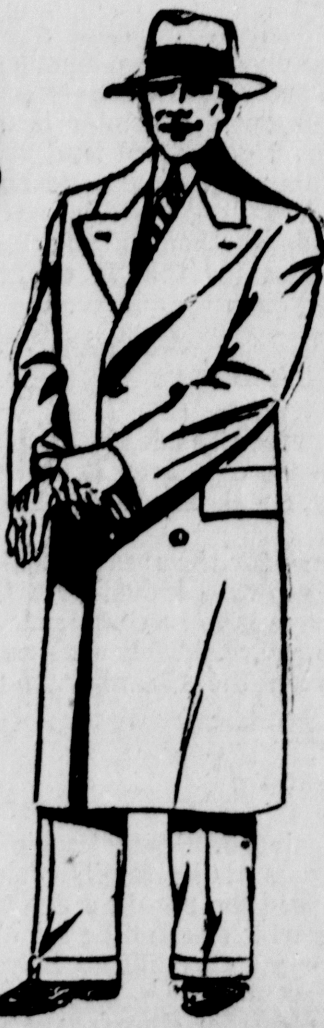
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MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 1928

A HAUNTING PICTURE

THE Editor and Publisher of New York in its leading editorial states that "never within our memory has there been published in an American newspaper a picture comparing for stark horror with the smuggled snapshot of the murderess dying in the electric chair at Sing Sing. It was spread before the public by the New York Daily News and was correctly labeled 'the most remarkable picture in the history of criminology.' Tens of thousands of words were written by able men to describe that midnight scene in the execution chamber. We have never read stories that were more realistic and minutely detailed than were some of the reports carried by the morning and evening newspapers. They must have stunned emotional people. But long after those words are forgotten that shadowy photograph, taken from a floor angle, showing a healthy young woman strapped and hooded and in the throes of a fiery death, shall haunt the public mind."

"The reporter who made the picture violated a cardinal principle in journalism. He betrayed the confidence of the prison warden, who had specifically instructed reporters not to bring cameras into the execution room."

"For this breach of faith he has been soundly and rightly censured and it is truly said that his deceit has brought reproach on American journalism. There is no pretense that this ghastly presentation was justified by a public policy more urgent than newspaper ethics."

"The paper is not crusading against capital punishment. If the editors believed that the publication would frighten potential criminals and deter homicide, the breach of faith still could not be excused and, in our opinion, there is no merit in the theory that fear of consequences stays the homicidal tendency among abnormal people. Increased homicide in states that punish death by death is evidence that fear is not a deterrent. The smuggled picture may be regarded as only a piece of goods in the commerce of the day. Those who would so regard it are strange to us, we must confess. That such a view of journalism must inevitably lead to public regulation is our firm belief."

The reporter is singled out for censure, but many forget the man was working for an organization and took the assignment under orders. Howard, who took the picture, wore a miniature camera strapped to his ankle. It is reported that just as the executioner threw on the switch which sent the current through the woman's body, throwing it forward and upward in the chair, Howard thrust his leg out, pulled up his wide-bottomed trousers, and pressed a bulb which was hidden in his pocket and connected by rubber hose to the camera. As described by Philip Schuyler, Howard allowed a six seconds exposure. The camera had been focussed beforehand for from 15 to 20 feet by guess.

Howard is a staff photographer of the Pacific & Atlantic. His employers gave him a bonus of \$100 for his success in obtaining employers gave him a bonus of \$100 for his success in obtaining have been censured.

MISFIT SECTION OF CONSTITUTION

AFTER one hundred and forty years of trying out a misfit section of the constitution the congress, now in session, is going to make an attempt to cure it.

The constitution provides that a congress elected in November shall not take its seat until the first week in December the following year, 13 months after election. Thus a congress repudiated at the polls still holds over for an unreasonable period, at least long enough to do a lot of damage.

The president elected in November does not take his seat until the following March. And that, too, affords the retiring president an opportunity to do a lot of things to his personal liking, things perhaps he should not do.

The proposed bill is to provide that the new congress and the president take seats on January 1st following the election. This seems the sensible thing to do. Anyway it would abolish the short session, kill filibustering, and many other congressional slight-of-hand tricks, of which there are by far too many, in the closing days of the so-called lame duck session.

This change of course will come before the various states for ratification, but there is no probability that even one state will fail to ratify so important a measure.—Le Sueur News-Herald.

FINE HIGHWAYS

DRIVING north on Highway No. 19 one notices a number of sideroads that have been cleared of the snow by the county equipment. This thing of keeping the roads open in winter is most commendable and it serves to keep travel going and trade busy, gives the farmer a regular outlet for his milk, cream and butter and keeps money in circulation.

The old days are passing, those days when a heavy snow blockaded the farm community and prevented that free circulation of travel between town and countryside.

BRAINERD WELCOMES THE FARMERS

TOMORROW the Chamber of Commerce presides as host at a luncheon for the farmers who come to town to hear Prof. Donovan, a dairy specialist of the university, speak on phases of dairying.

The subject is a most important one, for the speaker will talk on many points relative to this ever growing industry in Crow Wing county. The Chamber of Commerce is to be commended for continuing these luncheons for the farmers. They do much to create an era of better feeling between the Chamber and the farmers.

THE DOG POISONER

THE dog poisoner is abroad in Brainerd. Many people have told the Dispatch of losing fine dogs, pets of the family, valuable animals on which they have regularly paid the required dog taxes.

Poisoning of animals is an offense which cannot be too highly condemned. It is most dangerous, for young children may pick up the scraps and human deaths may result.

On Sunday morning, walking home from church, passersby saw a little white dog perish in front of its home on North Broadway. The father of the household picked up the animal as it wailed piteously and then stiffened in death, while round about stood the children crying as their little pet gasped its last breath.

Little Mickey Grogan

By ARTHUR GUY EMPEY

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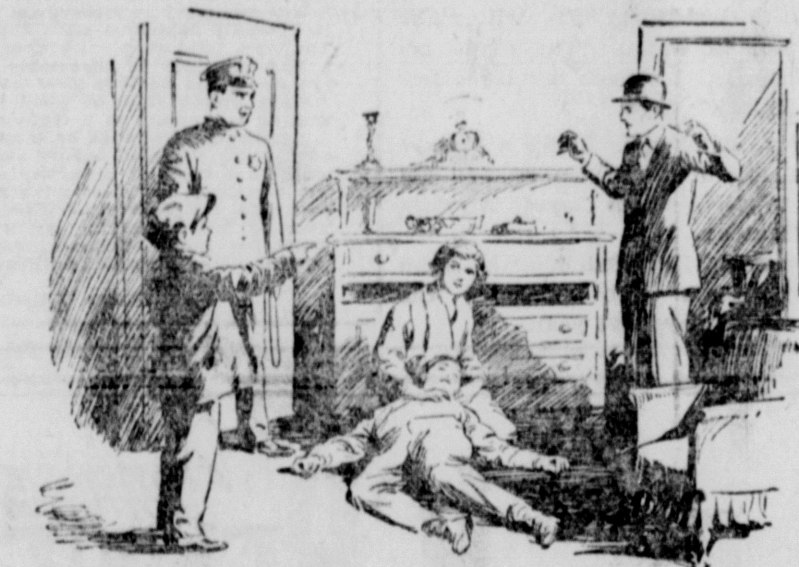
SYNOPSIS

Jeffrey Shore, young architect battling against the handicap of approaching blindness, is befriended by Mickey Grogan, child of the slums, and Winifred Davidson, secretary to Alexander Cabel, factory owner. Jeffrey draws sketches for a factory Cabel is planning to build but is discouraged and plans to destroy them. Mickey steals the plans and carries them to Cabel who tells him to have Jeffrey call at his office the following day. Later that night Al Nevvers, jealous admirer of Winifred and prize fighter, forces his way into Winifred's apartment and is about to attack her when Jeffrey hears her calls from his attic room. He is no match for Nevvers, however, and is being beaten soundly when Mickey sees his plight and races upstairs for a pistol he has found in a junk heap and hidden beneath his mattress. "Little Mickey Grogan"

Jeff was struggling back to consciousness on the floor, shaking his head as though to free himself of the numbness that closed him about like a thick, enervating vapor. "Let me help him!" Winnie begged Al. "Can't you see how badly you've hurt him? Oh, please! I'll do anything you want me to, if you only won't hit him again!"

"I'm going to finish him off!" growled Al, his sense dizzy with the bloodlust that had overpowered him. "I ain't through with him, I tell ya!"

"Not that!" sobbed Winnie. "If you hit him again, you'll kill him! I'll do anything you want me to!" she repeated. "Anything! I promise!" Only don't hit him again!" Al thrust her aside as though she



"He got fresh with Winnie, the dirty coward."

were a feather. "Try to get my girl away from me, will he? I'll show him!"

Mickey aimed the gun at Al's heart. "Jus' touch him! Go on an' touch him! You won't live to hit him again!" Mickey's voice was sharp and clear and there could be no mistaking his intention. His finger was on the trigger.

Nevvers had not expected this interruption, and now he hesitated, a wild animal at bay. Mickey's was a small figure, a ridiculous figure, but his determination was enough to shake any man's confidence, no matter how strong and powerful that man might be. Al stretched out an arm and smiled weakly, foolishly. "Put that fool thing down before ya hurt yourself," he slung at Mickey.

"It don't go off at my end," Mickey answered grimly, nor did he move back when Nevvers made a move to wrest the gun from his grasp. "Come on," invited the boy. "I'm jest itchin' to shoot this gun off anyways. I want to see the bullet plough t'roo ya. I wantta see ya where ya belong, in a coffin."

"You little — I'll wring your neck!" Nevvers started toward the boy wrathfully.

Mickey did not hesitate. Coolly enough, he pulled the trigger, but only a dull, clicking sound answered him. His eyes widened with astonished desperation and he jerked at the trigger again. Once more the hammer fell on an empty chamber. For the rest of his life Mickey remembered the disappointment of that moment and its tragic implications. He remembered Nevvers' ugly grin as he stepped forward, a bestial grin of power and triumph. The big bear of a man shot out a hairy wrist to wrench the weapon from Mickey's hand.

"What's the matter here?" a voice barked from the doorway. Winifred could not restrain the scream that came to her lips, but it was a scream of relief, of unbearable joy. A policeman entered the room and behind him trotted Susan, her childish eyes wide with triumph. At the same moment a crowd had gathered about the doorway, and many curious eyes were taking in the scene. They had gathered in an instant, these people, and just as quickly, they would disappear.

Nevvers' eyes darted wildly about as though seeking a way of escape, but all doors were blocked. Now, more than ever, did he appear to be a wild animal irrevocably trapped by his own insolence and greediness.

"He knocked Jeff down, an' him nearly blind, too," Mickey was saying to the policeman. "An' then he wanted to finish him. Th' dirty coward. He got fresh wit' Winnie

many a guy a sick headache," said Mickey. "I hope it does as much fer Al."

But by this time, Al had left that house forever.

In a shadowed room in the receiving hospital, a young man sat up in a chair and nervously touched the bandages about his eyes. Behind him a doctor was just starting to remove the white strips. A nurse stood anxiously by his side, and before them, a young girl twisted her handkerchief between nervous fingers. Not far away, a little boy and girl gripped each other's hands. Both were washed almost beyond recognition, and the little girl smelled as though she were soaked in perfume.

Fold after fold, the bandages fell away. Jeffrey's eyes flickered slightly. Then he lifted his lids, slowly, as though in dread of the moment that would follow.

Winnie caught her breath, and she clenched her hands until the nails were blue, and unclenched them again. Susan's face looked more pinched than ever, and her lips were tightly pressed in suspense until all color had departed from them.

Slowly, Jeff let his gaze wander about the room. It passed across the children and reached Winnie, where it halted and became full of adoring wonder.

"Can ya see?" breathed Mickey.

There was no answer.

The little boy swallowed the lump in his throat. "Can ya see?" he asked, a little louder.

Jeffrey did not seem to hear.

Twisting his hat out of shape, the boy suddenly jumped to his feet, crying, "Jeff—CAN YA SEE?"

And the man, turning to look at the trembling little figure before him, nodded in awed assent.

At the same time, the nurse, obeying the doctor's gesture, slowly raised one of the curtains, and a fan of golden sunlight opened and spread like a benediction across Mickey.

The next instant, Winnie was sobbing in Jeffrey's arms. Susan cried, too, and was about to wipe her nose on her sleeve when the nurse stopped her, hastily substituting a handkerchief. Even the boy's eyes were wet. But he came sturdily forward.

"Say, you two," he addressed the couple, "break dat clinch an' read this." He thrust forward a dirty envelope. The letter inside was from Alexander Cabel and served to notify Jeffrey that his plans for the National Food Products Company had been accepted and would be put into immediate execution.

"It's me personally what does it," admitted Mickey. "I guess I must have it."

(To be continued)



Lon Chaney and Edna Tichenor in "LONDON AFTER MIDNIGHT"

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Dolores Costello Scores In Light Comedy

Beautiful Dolores Costello has become the best loved actress of the screen through her ability to move audiences to tears. She now appears as the most vivacious and merry of flirts, and carries off the part with distinction. Miss Costello is star of "The College Widow," now at the Lyceum, big screen revival of George Ade's spectacularly successful play of the same name. Many famous football players are also in the cast. Miss Costello plays the part of a college president's daughter who saves her father's job and the honor of the school, by personally recruiting a football team of such terrific prowess that all comers are squelched.

Oratorical Power

There is no power like that of oratory. Caesar controlled men by exciting their fears, Cicero by captivating their affections and swaying their passions. The influence of the one perished with its author, that of the other continues to this day.—Henry Clay.

Head of Bird Families

The largest of all bird families is that known as Fringillidae. There are 1,200 species of finches which compose this family.

The Universal Power

More than two-thirds of the power which the United States uses in its industry is supplied by electricity.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Today

WCCO (405)

4:45 p. m.—Readers' club.
5:15 p. m.—Children's hour.
5:45 p. m.—Livestock market summary.
5:55 p. m.—Summary market report and road conditions bulletin.
6:00 p. m.—Northwest Boy Scout and Lone Scout organizations.
6:30 p. m.—Dinner concert—Orchestra; Edward Spielman, tenor; Corinne Jordan, accompanist.
7:30 p. m.—Time report. Vagabonda orchestra; Walter Mallory, tenor.
8:30 p. m.—General Motors family.
9:30 p. m.—American Legion program.
10:00 p. m.—Weather report.

Five Best Features

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WEAF Hookup, 8:30 p. m.—General Motors family party with Lawrence Tibbett, baritone.
WJZ Hookup, 6:30 p. m.—Roxy and His Gang.
WEAF Hookup, 7:30 p. m.—Gypsies.
WHAM, Rochester, 7:30 p. m.—American composers concert.
WOR Hookup, 8 p. m.—Columbia program.

Tuesday

WCCO (405)

9:30 a. m.—Program for the day.
9:35 a. m.—News bulletin.
9:45 a. m.—Weather and market reports.
10:30 a. m.—Market reports.
11:30 a. m.—Market reports.
12:00 m.—Lowry studio trio.
1:30 p. m.—Weather and market reports.
3:00 p. m.—Market reports.
4:25 p. m.—League of Women Voters.
4:45 p. m.—Readers' club.
5:15 p. m.—Children's hour.
5:45 p. m.—Livestock market summary.

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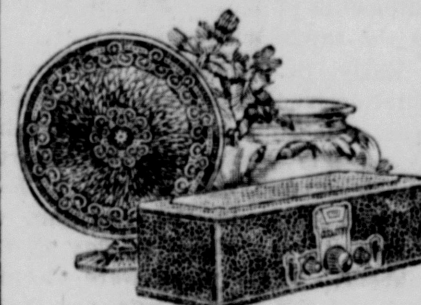
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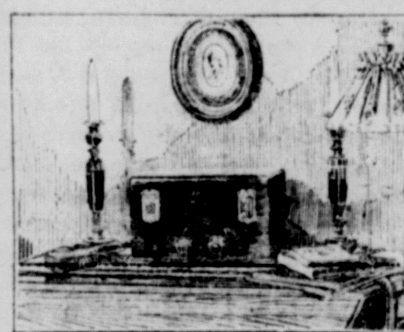
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MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 1928

A HAUNTING PICTURE

THE Editor and Publisher of New York in its leading editorial states that "never within our memory has there been published in an American newspaper a picture comparing for stark horror with the smuggled snapshot of the murderess dying in the electric chair at Sing Sing. It was spread before the public by the New York Daily News and was correctly labeled 'the most remarkable picture in the history of criminology.' Tens of thousands of words were written by able men to describe that midnight scene in the execution chamber. We have never read stories that were more realistic and minutely detailed than were some of the reports carried by the morning and evening newspapers. They must have stunned emotional people. But long after those words are forgotten that shadowy photograph, taken from a floor angle, showing a healthy young woman strapped and hooded and in the throes of a fiery death, shall haunt the public mind."

"The reporter who made the picture violated a cardinal principle in journalism. He betrayed the confidence of the prison warden, who had specifically instructed reporters not to bring cameras into the execution room."

"For this breach of faith he has been soundly and rightly censured and it is truly said that his deceit has brought reproach on American journalism. There is no pretense that this ghastly presentation was justified by a public policy more urgent than newspaper ethics."

"The paper is not crusading against capital punishment. If the editors believed that the publication would frighten potential criminals and deter homicide, the breach of faith still could not be excused and, in our opinion, there is no merit in the theory that fear of consequences stays the homicidal tendency among abnormal people. Increased homicide in states that punish death by death is evidence that fear is not a deterrent. The smuggled picture may be regarded as only a piece of goods in the commerce of the day. Those who would so regard it are strange to us, we must confess. That such a view of journalism must inevitably lead to public regulation is our firm belief."

The reporter is singled out for censure, but many forget the man was working for an organization and took the assignment under orders. Howard, who took the picture, wore a miniature camera strapped to his ankle. It is reported that just as the executioner threw on the switch which sent the current through the woman's body, throwing it forward and upward in the chair, Howard thrust his leg out, pulled up his wide-bottomed trouser, and pressed a bulb which was hidden in his pocket and connected by rubber hose to the camera. As described by Philip Schuyler, Howard allowed a six seconds exposure. The camera had been focussed beforehand for from 15 to 20 feet by guess.

Howard is a staff photographer of the Pacific & Atlantic. His employers gave him a bonus of \$100 for his success in obtaining employers gave him a bonus of \$100 for his success in obtaining have been censured.

MISFIT SECTION OF CONSTITUTION

AFTER one hundred and forty years of trying out a misfit section of the constitution the congress, now in session, is going to make an attempt to cure it.

The constitution provides that a congress elected in November shall not take its seat until the first week in December the following year, 13 months after election. Thus a congress repudiated at the polls still holds over for an unreasonable period, at least long enough to do a lot of damage.

The president elected in November does not take his seat until the following March. And that, too, affords the retiring president an opportunity to do a lot of things to his personal liking, things perhaps he should not do.

The proposed bill is to provide that the new congress and the president take seats on January 1st following the election. This seems the sensible thing to do. Anyway it would abolish the short session, kill filibustering, and many other congressional slight-of-hand tricks, of which there are by far too many, in the closing days of the so-called lame duck session.

This change of course will come before the various states for ratification, but there is no probability that even one state will fail to ratify so important a measure.—Le Sueur News-Herald.

FINE HIGHWAYS

DRIVING north on Highway No. 19 one notices a number of sideroads that have been cleared of the snow by the county equipment. This thing of keeping the roads open in winter is most commendable and it serves to keep travel going and trade busy, gives the farmer a regular outlet for his milk, cream and butter and keeps money in circulation.

The old days are passing, those days when a heavy snow blocked the farm community and prevented that free circulation of travel between town and countryside.

BRAINERD WELCOMES THE FARMERS

TOMORROW the Chamber of Commerce presides as host at a luncheon for the farmers who come to town to hear Prof. Donovan, a dairy specialist of the university, speak on phases of dairying.

The subject is a most important one, for the speaker will talk on many points relative to this ever growing industry in Crow Wing county. The Chamber of Commerce is to be commended for continuing these luncheons for the farmers. They do much to create an era of better feeling between the Chamber and the farmers.

THE DOG POISONER

THE dog poisoner is abroad in Brainerd. Many people have told the Dispatch of losing fine dogs, pets of the family, valuable animals on which they have regularly paid the required dog taxes. Poisoning of animals is an offense which cannot be too highly condemned. It is most dangerous, for young children may pick up the scraps and human deaths may result.

On Sunday morning, walking home from church, passersby saw a little white dog perish in front of its home on North Broadway. The father of the household picked up the animal as it wailed piteously and then stiffened in death, while round about stood the children crying as their little pet gasped its last breath.



SYNOPSIS

Jeffrey Shore, young architect battling against the handicap of approaching blindness, is befriended by Mickey Grogan, child of the slums, and Winifred Davidson, secretary to Alexander Cabel, factory owner. Jeffrey draws sketches for a factory Cabel is planning to build but is discouraged and plans to destroy them. Mickey steals the plans and carries them to Cabel who tells him to have Jeffrey call at his office the following day. Later that night Al Nevvers, jealous admirer of Winifred and prize-fighter, forces his way into Winifred's apartment and is about to attack her when Jeffrey hears her calls from his attic room. He is no match for Nevvers, however, and is being beaten soundly when Mickey sees his plight and races upstairs for a pistol he has found in a junk heap and hidden beneath his mattress. "Little Mickey Grogan"

Jeff was struggling back to consciousness on the floor, shaking his head as though to free himself of the numbness that closed him about like a thick, conserving vapor. "Let me help him!" Winnie begged Al. "Can't you see how badly you've hurt him? Oh, please! I'll do anything you want me to, if you only won't hit him again!"

"I'm going to finish him off!" growled Al, his sense dizzy with the blood-lust that had overpowered him. "I ain't through with him, I tell ya!"

"No! No!" sobbed Winnie. "If you hit him again, you'll kill him! I'll do anything you want me to!" she repeated. "Anything! I promise! Only don't hit him again!"



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were a feather. "Try to get my girl away from me, will he? I'll show him!"

Mickey aimed the gun at Al's heart. "Jus' touch him! Go on an' touch him! You won't live to hit him again!" Mickey's voice was sharp and clear and there could be no mistaking his intention. His finger was on the trigger.

Nevvers had not expected this interruption, and now he hesitated, a wild animal at bay. Mickey's was a small figure, a ridiculous figure, but his determination was enough to shake any man's confidence, no matter how strong and powerful that man might be. Al stretched out an arm and smiled weakly, foolishly. "Put that fool thing down before ya hurt yourself," he flung at Mickey.

"It don't go off at my end," Mickey answered grimly, nor did he move back when Nevvers made a move to wrest the gun from his grasp. "Come on," invited the boy. "I'm jest itchin' to shoot this gun off anyways. I want to see the bullet plough troo ya. I wanna see ya where ya belong, in a coffin."

"You little — I'll wring your neck!" Nevvers started toward the boy wrathfully.

Mickey did not hesitate. Coolly enough, he pulled the trigger, but only a dull, clicking sound answered him. His eyes widened with astonished desperation and he jerked at the trigger again. Once more the hammer fell on an empty chamber. For the rest of his life Mickey remembered the disappointment of that moment and its tragic implications. He remembered Nevvers' ugly grin as he stepped forward, a bestial grin of power and triumph. The big bear of a man shot out a hairy wrist to wrench the weapon from Mickey's hand.

"What's the matter here?" a voice barked from the doorway. Winifred could not restrain the scream that came to her lips, but it was a scream of relief, of unbearable joy. A policeman entered the room and behind him trotted Susan, her childish eyes wide with triumph. At the same moment a crowd had gathered about the doorway, and many curious eyes were taking in the scene. They had gathered in an instant, these people, and just as quickly, they would disappear.

Nevvers' eyes darted wildly about as though seeking a way of escape, but all doors were blocked. Now, more than ever, did he appear to be a wild animal irrevocably trapped by his own insolence and grossness.

"He knocked Jeff down, an' him nearly blind, too," Mickey was saying to the policeman. "An' then he wanted to finish him. Th' dirty coward. He got fresh wif' Winnie

over there, an' she never did anything to him. An' I would 'a shot him, too, only the gun wouldn't go off. It's one o' dese guns dat never goes off when ya want it to."

Winnie had aided Jeff to a sitting position. Now she lifted her eyes. "Please arrest that man, officer. He forced his way into my room, threatened my life, and struck Mr. Shore who tried to come to my rescue."

"Crooked says dat it's a sin to kill a man. But I tink it must be a awful sin to let a man like dat live," said Mickey to the policeman.

"Mickey Grogan, ya oughta be glad that gun wasn't loaded," spoke up Susan. "It is a sin to kill a man. A terrible sin."

Mickey hung his head. "I guess ya got more sense 'n I 'ot ya had, Susie. It is a sin all right. Crooked, he wasn't lyin'."

The policeman advanced up to Al and took the bully's arm. "You've done enough to put ya behind the bars for life," he snapped. "Come along now. Come along."

As he was being led from the room, Nevvers glanced back at Mickey. "I'll get you yet," he shouted back at the little boy. "Ya—ah!" answered Mickey.

"Go on an' reform, ya big bum. Read the Bible. Crooked says, Be humble an' read da Good Book an' walk in da pat' o' God. I'll send ya a Bible to jail, Al. Lovin'ly, from yer old friend, Mickey Grogan, I'll write in it."

"What could be fairer than that?" asked the policeman pushing Al in front of him.

"Goo' bye, Al," Susan called. "Be a good boy an' say your prafers every night."

"Crooked says, A prafers saved



Lon Chaney and Edna Tichenor in "LONDON AFTER MIDNIGHT"

"London After Midnight" a Great Detective Story With Lon Chaney

Strange and uncanny goings-on that chill the blood and grip the imagination occur in a haunted manor house in England during the weird course of Lon Chaney's latest and greatest film, "London After Midnight," a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture that comes to the Lyceum theatre Tuesday.

Dolores Costello Scores In Light Comedy

Beautiful Dolores Costello has become the best loved actress of the screen through her ability to move audiences to tears. She now appears as the most vivacious and merry of flirts, and carries off the part with distinction. Miss Costello is star of "The College Widow," now at the Lyceum, big screen revival of George Ade's spectacularly successful play of the same name. Many famous football players are also in the cast. Miss Costello plays the part of a college president's daughter who saves her father's job and the honor of the school, by personally recruiting a football team of such terrific prowess that all comers are squelched.

Oratorical Power

There is no power like that of oratory. Caesar controlled men by exciting their fears, Cicero by captivating their affections and swaying their passions. The influence of the one perished with its author, that of the other continues to this day.—Henry Clay.

Head of Bird Families

The largest of all bird families is that known as Fringillidae. There are 1,200 species of finches which compose this family.

The Universal Power

More than two-thirds of the power which the United States uses in its industry is supplied by electricity.

RADIO PROGRAMS

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4:45 p. m.—Readers' club.
5:15 p. m.—Children's hour.
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6:30 p. m.—Dinner concert—Orchestra; Edward Spielman, tenor; Corinne Jordan, accompanist.
7:30 p. m.—Time report. Vagabonda orchestra; Walter Mallory, tenor.
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WHAM, Rochester, 7:30 p. m.—American composers concert.
WOR Hookup, 8 p. m.—Columbia program.

Tuesday

WCCO (405)

9:30 a. m.—Program for the day.
9:35 a. m.—News bulletin.
9:45 a. m.—Weather and market reports.
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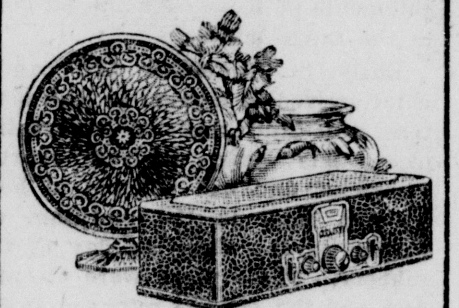
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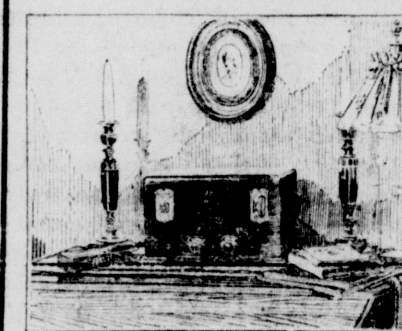
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MEET DEER CREEK FIVE; MERICKEL LEADS VISITORS

FORMER UNIVERSITY STAR IS RATED AMONG FASTEST IN INDEPENDENT SQUADS

LOCALS PERFECT NEW PLAYS IN CLOSED PRACTICE TONIGHT; LOOK FOR VICTORY

The weekly game of the Y. M. C. A. team under the management of Wallace Anderson will be a home game this week, when the locals meet Deer Creek on the high school floor Thursday night. The team looks forward to this game as they believe that they have a very good chance of beating Deer Creek on the local floor. Clifford Welsh may try out a forward position in this game. Playing at Deer Creek in the early part of the season, the "Y" was defeated by only a small margin.

Merickel of Wadena, who is the mainstay of the Deer Creek team, is the man whom fans like to see in action. It seems that he has lost none of the cleverness displayed when he was a star on the University team. When one of the local men who played against him was asked what he could do on the floor so spectacular, his reply was: "Is there anything he can't do?" He can run backwards dribbling the ball with accuracy. If hemmed in too close by guards, he will resort to throwing the ball between his legs, even aiming for the basket. He has to be watched very closely.

Closed practice will be held by the "Y" team tonight to perfect plays for Thursday night's game.

The "Y" team plays Bemidji at Bemidji on February 3.

SCORES 293 AND NABHOLZ WINS OPEN GOLF TOURNEY

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Scoring a 293, Larry Nabholz, Cleveland professional, won the second annual El Paso open golf tournament.

The veteran MacDonald Smith, winner of this year's Los Angeles \$10,000 open, finished second, with 294. Nabholz received \$1,000 and Smith \$700.

At Espinosa, Chicago, Willie Hunter, Los Angeles, Bill Burke, New York, and Wild Bill Mehlfors, Pittsburgh, tied for third with 295. They received \$225 each.

MAY SETTLE ROW BETWEEN ARMY, NAVY GRID TEAMS

Washington, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Settlement of differences between West Point and Annapolis so Army-Navy football relations may be resumed is probable within two days, Representative Britten (Rep., Ill.) said today.

Britten, who is working for a compromise, said he and Rep. Fish (Rep., N. Y.) have a number of proposals they will present in the next few days to officials of the war and navy departments and superintendents of the two institutions.

WEEK OF INTEREST FOR SPORT FOLLOWERS IN GOLF PLAY

Miami, Fla., Jan. 23.—(UP)—The next week will be crammed full of interest for sport followers in Florida.

The artists and writers of golf association tournament began today with more than 50 of the country's leading artists and writers competing.

The Glenn Curtiss golf tournament, open to amateurs, was scheduled for tomorrow.

MINNESOTA IN FARM RELIEF ACTIVITIES

St. Paul, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Minnesota will be represented at Washington in farm relief activities by N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture, it was announced today following a meeting of the state agricultural equality commission.

At Washington, Holmberg will confer with the Minnesota delegation and urge support of farm relief legislation. The last session of the state legislature adopted a resolution in favor of farm relief along the lines of the McNary-Haugen bill.

ASSAULTS REPORT OF ARMY ENGINEERS ON FLOOD CONTROL

Washington, Jan. 23.—(UP)—The army engineers' report on the Mississippi river was assailed by Senator Hawes, democrat, Missouri, today at the first flood control hearing before the senate commerce committee.

PELZER RACING STIRS UP ANTAGONISM

SPORT TABLOIDS

(By United Press)

N. Y. Yanks 9, Cleveland Bulldogs 7
Los Angeles—Benny Friedman's Cleveland Bulldogs lost to Red Orange's New York Yankees, 9-7, in a professional football game. Bo Molenda, former Michigan fullback, scored the winners' points with a touchdown and field goal.

May Move Lincoln Club to Pueblo
Lincoln, Neb.—Spencer Abbott, owner of the Lincoln franchise in the eastern League, was still undecided today whether to move his club to Pueblo, Colo. He will attend a meeting here later in the week at which the removal will be discussed.

Athletes Not Perfect in Studies
Albion, Mich.—Dr. Thomas M. Carter, head of the department of education at Albion College, has found after a five year investigation that athletes have a slightly lower standing in academic work than other men students.

Cornell Defeats Nebraska Wrestlers
Mt. Vernon, Ia.—Cornell college defeated Nebraska wrestlers, 18-0. It was Cornell's fourth straight wrestling victory.

Hoppe Edging up to Hall
New York—Willie Hoppe was within half a game of Allen Hall, leader of the American three cushion billiard league, after defeating Harry Wakefield 59 to 38 in a fifty-three inning game.

Tilden Wins Tourney
Buffalo, N. Y.—William T. Tilden, of Philadelphia, won the Mid-Winter Invitational Tennis Tournament of the Buffalo Tennis and Squash Club by defeating Francis T. Hunter, of New Rochelle, N. Y., 8-6, 6-2, 8-10, 10-8.

N. Y. Rangers 4, Pirates 1
New York—The New York Rangers defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates 4 to 1, in a National League Hockey game.

Crowned 1928 Champions
Bear Mountain, N. Y.—Allan Potts and Miss Elsie Muller were crowned 1928 champions in the men's and women's divisions in the New York and New Jersey Interstate Outdoor Speed Skating championship.

Nippy Harris in Lead
New York—Nippy Harris, of Princeton University, was leading the list of individual performers in the Intercollegiate Swimming Association. Harris gained 22 points in two meets.

SPORTSMATTER

BY FRANK GETTY
UNITED PRESS SPORTS EDITOR

Tex Rickard and Gene Tunney, partners in the business of producing annual battles "of the century, sesquicentennial or what have you?" are hoist with their own petard.

Which is to say that the overinflated heavyweight bubble has burst right in their faces.

Having created and subscribed to the impression that the heavyweight champion must meet only such opponents as are capable of attracting from 100,000 to 150,000 cash customers, Tex and Gene find themselves faced with the unpleasant prospect of a period of idleness.

The promoter and the champion had pinned their respective hopes upon the recent Sharkey-Heeney fiasco. Rickard expected Jack to bowl over Tom and be ballyhooed as the "logical contender" from now until June. Tunney thought Heeney would punch the big Lith full of holes and come along for a licking in one of the New York ball parks next spring.

Instead, Tom and Jack were mutually and jointly "eliminated" amid distressing cries of anguish from Tex Rickard and others at the ring-side.

If Tex and Gene were not absorbed with the idea that each heavyweight championship fight must be more sensational, more spectacular, and, of course, more costly than the last, they would not find themselves on the horns of their present dilemma.

I never have been able to understand what was so particularly sacred about a heavyweight championship fight, but then I never have shared the profits of one, so naturally the grapes are sour.

But seriously, if Tex and Gene weren't so insistent upon the champion's next opponent being a great figure of ballyhoo as the one and only logical challenger, their problem would be a lot less complicated. There would be few to join Tex and Gene in their tears if the "gate" for the champion's next defense of his title failed to reach \$2,000,000.

It may be asked: who is there to give Tunney a proper fight? I do not think that the proposed repetition of the elimination fiasco will answer that question satisfactorily, because I do not think any of the entrants is good enough to lick Gene. Or even to come close to it, as Dempsey did at Chicago.

Throw the champion in with Jack Sharkey, Tom Heeney, Jack Delaney or Paulino Uzcudun, it doesn't matter much which. Tunney is a certain winner on points in a short fight.

I have always believed that if an outstanding contender rose suddenly from the ranks this winter and stood out head and shoulders above the other challengers, with a series of knockouts and a world of ballyhoo, Jack Dempsey would remain in retirement and not come back for a third licking at Tunney's hands.

Now the situation is such that Gene practically has to have Jack, or do without his annual million dollars.

A. A. U. FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

GOES ON RECORD FEELING IT MAY BE JUST AS WELL GERMAN DOESN'T COMPETE

THEIR ATTITUDE NO REFLECTION ON PELTZER, BUT UPON THE ASSOCIATION

By FRANK GETTY

(United Press Sports Editor)

New York, Jan. 23.—With engaging frankness, some members of the foreign relations committee of the Amateur Athletic Union today went on record as feeling that perhaps it would be just as well if Dr. Otto Peltzer, German middle distance runner, did not compete in this country this year, after all.

The attitude of these gentlemen is no reflection upon Dr. Peltzer. It is rather a reflection upon the ability of the A. A. U. to govern amateur athletics.

The foreign relations committee was to meet today to make up its collective mind on the matter. Dr. Peltzer and the German athletic authorities awaited the committee's decision with considerable interest.

Germany, looking ahead to the Olympic games, in which she hopes to finish second or third, views her star middle distance runner as a delicate piece of point-making machinery, and is properly perturbed lest anything connected with Dr. Peltzer's appearances in the United States affect his chances at Amsterdam.

Dr. Peltzer, however, is anxious to compete here. Like a prize fighter, he feels that mere practice is not sufficient to keep him on edge over a long period without competition.

So the German athletic authorities reluctantly authorized him to compete twice in the United States, subject to the approval of the A. A. U.

Whereupon Mr. Joseph B. McCabe and Mr. Gustavus Kirby spoke their minds in no uncertain term. They, as members of the foreign relations committee, decidedly did not approve of Dr. Peltzer's competing here. They wanted, they said, no repetition of such unpleasantness as accompanied the running of Paavo Nurmi and the vaulting of Charley Hoff.

It seems surprising that spokesmen for the A. A. U. thus admit that august body's inability to offer the hospitality of our board tracks and

clinders to a distinguished visiting athlete, without saying to him:

"You'd better not run here in the United States. Someone will tag you as a professional."

As a matter of fact, there is another sounder reason, from the official A. A. U. standpoint, why permission to compete here may be denied the German champion.

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LOCALS PERFECT NEW PLAYS IN CLOSED PRACTICE TONIGHT; LOOK FOR VICTORY

The weekly game of the Y. M. C. A. team under the management of Wallace Anderson will be a home game this week, when the locals meet Deer Creek on the high school floor Thursday night. The team looks forward to this game as they believe that they have a very good chance of beating Deer Creek on the local floor. Clifford Welsh may try out a forward position in this game. Playing at Deer Creek in the early part of the season, the "Y" was defeated by only a small margin.

Merickel of Wadena, who is the mainstay of the Deer Creek team, is the man whom fans like to see in action. It seems that he has lost none of the cleverness displayed when he was a star on the University team. When one of the local men who played against him was asked what he could do on the floor so spectacular, his reply was: "Is there anything he can't do?" He can run backwards dribbling the ball with accuracy. If hemmed in too close by guards, he will resort to throwing the ball between his legs, even aiming for the basket. He has to be watched very closely.

Closed practice will be held by the "Y" team tonight to perfect plays for Thursday night's game.

The "Y" team plays Bemidji at Bemidji on February 3.

SCORES 293 AND NABHOLZ WINS OPEN GOLF TOURNEY

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Scoring a 293, Larry Nabholz, Cleveland professional, won the second annual El Paso open golf tournament.

The veteran MacDonald Smith, winner of this year's Los Angeles \$10,000 open, finished second, with 294. Nabholz received \$1,000 and Smith \$700.

Al Espinosa, Chicago, Willie Hunter, Los Angeles, Bill Burke, New York, and Wild Bill Mehlhorn, Pittsburgh, tied for third with 295. They received \$225 each.

MAY SETTLE ROW BETWEEN ARMY, NAVY GRID TEAMS

Washington, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Settlement of differences between West Point and Annapolis so Army-Navy football relations may be resumed is probable within two days, Representative Britten (Rep., Ill.) said today.

Britten, who is working for a compromise, said he and Rep. Fish (Rep., N. Y.) have a number of proposals they will present in the next few days to officials of the war and navy departments and superintendents of the two institutions.

WEEK OF INTEREST FOR SPORT FOLLOWERS IN GOLF PLAY

Miami, Fla., Jan. 23.—(UP)—The next week will be crammed full of interest for sport followers in Florida.

The artists and writers of golf association tournament began today with more than 50 of the country's leading artists and writers competing.

The Glenn Curtiss golf tournament, open to amateurs, was scheduled for tomorrow.

MINNESOTA IN FARM RELIEF ACTIVITIES

St. Paul, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Minnesota will be represented at Washington in farm relief activities by N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture. It was announced today following a meeting of the state agricultural equality commission.

At Washington, Holmberg will confer with the Minnesota delegation and urge support of farm relief legislation. The last session of the state legislature adopted a resolution in favor of farm relief along the lines of the McNary-Haugen bill.

ASSAULTS REPORT OF ARMY ENGINEERS ON FLOOD CONTROL

Washington, Jan. 23.—(UP)—The army engineers' report on the Mississippi river was assailed by Senator Hawes, democrat, Missouri, today at the first flood control hearing before the senate commerce committee.

PELTZER RACING STIRS UP ANTAGONISM

SPORT TABLOIDS

(By United Press)

N. Y. Yanks 9, Cleveland Bulldogs 7
Los Angeles—Benny Friedman's Cleveland Bulldogs lost to Red Grange's New York Yankees, 9-7, in a professional football game. Bo Molenda, former Michigan fullback, scored the winners' points with a touchdown and field goal.

May Move Lincoln Club to Pueblo
Lincoln, Neb.—Spencer Abott, owner of the Lincoln franchise in the eastern League, was still undecided today whether to move his club to Pueblo, Colo. He will attend a meeting here later in the week at which the removal will be discussed.

Athletes Not Perfect in Studies
Albion, Mich.—Dr. Thomas M. Carter, head of the department of education at Albion College, has found after a five year investigation that athletes have a slightly lower standing in academic work than other men students.

Cornell Defeats Nebraska Wrestlers
Mt. Vernon, Ia.—Cornell college defeated Nebraska wrestlers, 18-0. It was Cornell's fourth straight wrestling victory.

Hoppe Edging up to Hall
New York—Willie Hoppe was within half a game of Allen Hall, leader of the American three cushion billiard league, after defeating Harry Wakefield 59 to 38 in a fifty-three inning game.

Tilden Wins Tourney
Buffalo, N. Y.—William T. Tilden, of Philadelphia, won the Mid-Winter Invitation Tennis Tournament of the Buffalo Tennis and Squash Club by defeating Francis T. Hunter, of New Rochelle, N. Y., 8-6, 6-2, 8-10, 10-8.

N. Y. Rangers 4, Pirates 1
New York—The New York Rangers defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates 4 to 1, in a National League Hockey game.

Crowned 1928 Champions
Bear Mountain, N. Y.—Allan Potts and Miss Elsie Muller were crowned 1928 champions in the men's and women's divisions in the New York and New Jersey Interstate Outdoor Speed Skating championship.

Nippy Harris in Lead
New York—Nippy Harris, of Princeton University, was leading the list of individual performers in the Intercollegiate Swimming Association. Harris gained 22 points in two meets.

SPORTSMATTER BY FRANK GETTY UNITED PRESS SPORTS EDITOR

Tex Rickard and Gene Tunney, partners in the business of producing annual battles "of the century, sesquicentennial or what have you?" are hoist with their own petard.

Which is to say that the overinflated heavyweight bubble has burst right in their faces.

Having created and subscribed to the impression that the heavyweight champion must meet only such opponents as are capable of attracting from 100,000 to 150,000 cash customers, Tex and Gene find themselves faced with the unpleasant prospect of a period of idleness.

The promoter and the champion had pinned their respective hopes upon the recent Sharkey-Heeney fiasco. Rickard expected Jack to bowl over Tom and be ballyhooed as the "logical contender" from now until June. Tunney thought Heeney would punch the big Lith full of holes and come along for a licking in one of the New York ball parks next spring.

Instead, Tom and Jack were mutually and jointly "eliminated" amid distressing cries of anguish from Tex Rickard and others at the ring-side.

If Tex and Gene were not absorbed with the idea that each heavyweight championship fight must be more sensational, more spectacular, and, of course, more costly than the last, they would not find themselves on the horns of their present dilemma.

I never have been able to understand what was so particularly sacred about a heavyweight championship fight, but then I never have shared the profits of one, so naturally the grapes are sour.

But seriously, if Tex and Gene weren't so insistent upon the champion's next opponent being a great figure of ballyhoo as the one and only logical challenger, their problem would be a lot less complicated. There would be few to join Tex and Gene in their tears if the "gate" for the champion's next defense of his title failed to reach \$3,000,000.

It may be asked: who is there to give Tunney a proper fight? I do not think that the proposed repetition of the elimination fiasco will answer that question satisfactorily, because I do not think any of the entrants is good enough to lick Gene. Or even to come close to it, as Dempsey did at Chicago.

Throw the champion in with Jack Sharkey, Tom Heeney, Jack Delaney or Paulino Uzcudun, it doesn't matter much which. Tunney is a certain winner on points in a short fight.

I have always believed that if an outstanding contender rose suddenly from the ranks this winter and stood out head and shoulders above the other challengers, with a series of knockouts and a world of ballyhoo, Jack Dempsey would remain in retirement and not come back for a third licking at Tunney's hands.

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New York, Jan. 23.—With engaging frankness, some members of the foreign relations committee of the Amateur Athletic Union today went on record as feeling that perhaps it would be just as well if Dr. Otto Peltzer, German middle distance runner, did not compete in this country this year, after all.

The attitude of these gentlemen is no reflection upon Dr. Peltzer. It is rather a reflection upon the ability of the A. A. U. to govern amateur athletics.

The foreign relations committee was to meet today to make up its collective mind on the matter. Dr. Peltzer and the German athletic authorities awaited the committee's decision with considerable interest.

Germany, looking ahead to the Olympic games, in which she hopes to finish second or third, views her star middle distance runner as a delicate piece of point-making machinery, and is properly perturbed lest anything connected with Dr. Peltzer's appearances in the United States affect his chances at Amsterdam.

Dr. Peltzer, however, is anxious to compete here. Like a prize fighter, he feels that mere practice is not sufficient to keep him on edge over a long period without competition.

So the German athletic authorities reluctantly authorized him to compete thrice in the United States, subject to the approval of the A. A. U.

Whereupon Mr. Joseph B. McCabe and Mr. Gustavus Kirby spoke their minds in no uncertain term. They, as members of the foreign relations committee, decidedly did not approve of Dr. Peltzer's competing here. They wanted, they said, no repetition of such unpleasantness as accompanied the running of Paavo Nurmi and the vaulting of Charley Hoff.

It seems surprising that spokesmen for the A. A. U. thus admit that August body's inability to offer the hospitality of our board tracks and

cinders to a distinguished visiting athlete, without saying to him:

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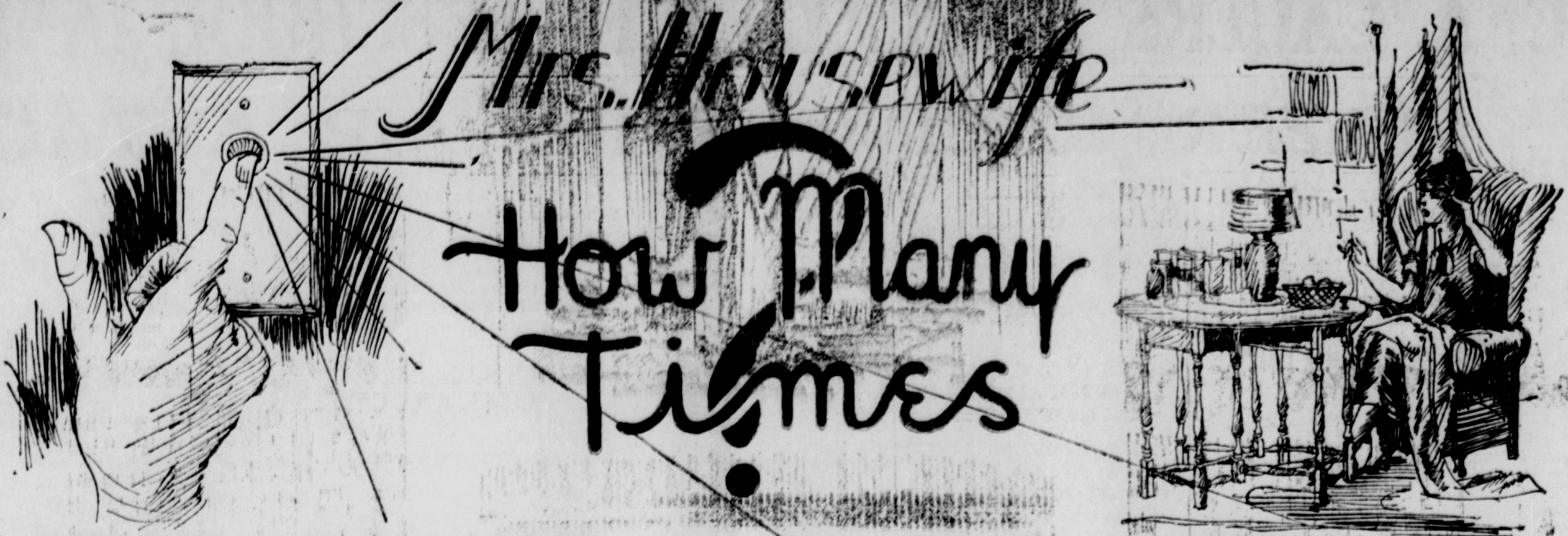
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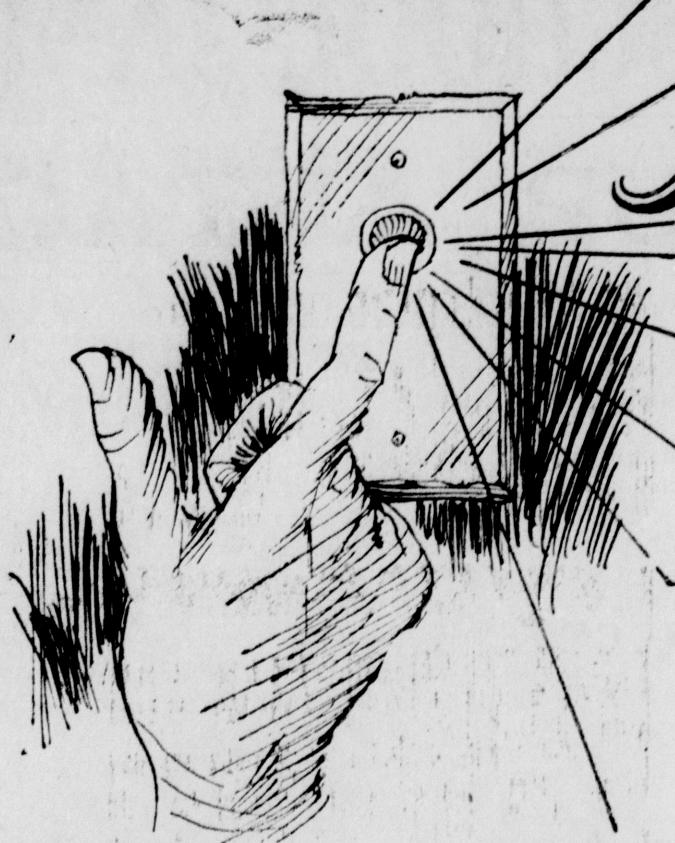


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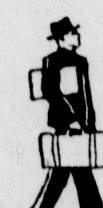
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Officers Installed by Past Grand
President Mrs. Anna
Dieckhaus.

Installation of the Women's Benevolent Association was held in the Iron Exchange hall Thursday at 7:45. In spite of the zero weather a goodly number were in attendance. After the business meeting the following officers were installed by Past Grand President Mrs. Anna Dieckhaus assisted by Mrs. Edith Bentley and Mrs. Mable Yokie as Lady of Ceremonies.

Past President—Ellen Varner.
President—Elinor Backen
Vice President—Mary Burns, re-elected.

Recording Secretary—Harriette Jenkins, re-elected.

Financial Secretary—Marie Lawrence, reappointed.

Treasurer—Lillian Babcock, re-elected.

Chaplain—Rose Potter, re-elected.
Lady of Ceremonies—Cozy White.
Sergeant—Marie Schultz.

Musician—Leo Stallman.
Inner Hostess—Beda Reyff.

Outer Hostess—Mrs. Rettlinger.
Captain—Marie Mitchell, reappointed.

Color Bearer No. 1—Emma Finley.

Color Bearer No. 2—Lucile Finley.

Publicity Reporter—Ellen M. Varner.

Each officer installed was presented with a red rose by the Lady of Ceremonies. After the installation the installing officer, Mrs. Anna Dieckhaus, presented the outgoing president, Mrs. Ellen Varner with a silver sandwich tray as a token of appreciation for her service during the term. Mrs. Dieckhaus was also presented with a similar gift. During the social hour Mrs. Emma Sorenson gave two excellent readings, after which a dainty luncheon was served by the committee.

BUILDS FAST ICE BOAT

Constructed by J. F. Germaine Formerly of Brainerd; Attains
High Speed

A former Brainerd boy, Charles Germaine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Germaine, 614 North 10th street Brainerd, has built a speedy iceboat that furnishes thrills for the Bemidji populace.

After two years work Charles Germaine has finished the ice sled, propelled by a 120 horsepower Le Rhone rotary motor, at the Bemidji machine shop. He will run the boat on Lake Bemidji Sundays for passenger service.

The ship is 32 feet long and capable of making 134 miles an hour on clear ice. It has accommodations for seven passengers and a driver.

As far as its builder knows there is not another machine like it in the world.

"I worked on the plans of the ship for six months before I was satisfied it would look like something when completed," Germaine said.

Mrs. Archie Falconer and Mrs. Elmer Olson, Brainerd are sisters of the builder.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 23.—(AP)—Lloyd Centelli, 33, was held L. Jackson, 37, Police arrested here for the murder of Mrs. Marion Centelli after Mrs. Jackson's body was found in her automobile. A few days previously she told police, "If I am ever murdered look for Centelli."

GOETHALS

A man went down to Panama
Where many a man had died,
To slit the sliding mountains
And lift the eternal tide:
A man stood up in Panama,
And the mountains stood aside.

The Power that wrought the tide and
peak

Wrought mightier the seer:
And the One who made the isthmus
He made the engineer;

And the good God He made Goethals
To cleave the hemisphere.
—Percy Mackays.

OLD RESIDENT OF BRAINERD DIES

Mrs. Maren Thompson Passed Away
Yesterday Morning at Age
of 88 Years

BORN IN DENMARK

Came to Brainerd in 1886; Survived
by Four Sons; Funeral
Rites Tomorrow

Mrs. Maren Thompson passed away yesterday at her residence, at 1120 South Oak street at the age of 88 years. She had been a resident of Brainerd since 1886. Death resulted from old age.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Denmark, June 20, 1839 and was married in Denmark to Christ Thompson in 1866. The family came to Brainerd in 1886 from Denmark. Mr. Thompson died on September 2, 1902.

She was the mother of seven boys, three of whom died in infancy in Denmark. Those surviving are: Sam, of Nokay Lake township, Thomas, of Minneapolis, Jep of Brainerd, and John of Annandale, also five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon from the house at 2 o'clock and from the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. O. L. Bolstad officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Peter McGivern Fractures
Wrist and Hip; Taken to
Hospital

Mrs. Peter McGivern, 417 South 8th street is a patient in the St. Joseph's hospital with a fractured wrist and hip received Saturday afternoon when she fell down behind the depot.

She was on her way to visit her brother, James Kelley, a patient at the hospital.

SCOUT PROMOTERS MEET HERE TONIGHT

Annual Meeting of Brainerd Area to
be Held in Chamber of
Commerce

RECEIVE YEAR REPORTS

Analysis of Work Done and Program
for Year Outlined by
Executive

The annual meeting of the Brainerd area, Crow Wing Scout council will be held this evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 7:30 o'clock at which time reports for the year will be received and plans constructed for the following year.

Officers will also be elected. Present officers are: S. R. Adair, president as well as head of the Crow Wing Council; R. E. Wyatt, chairman of finance; D. R. Gray, treasurer.

Reports will be received from Mr. Gray and B. Perry Newton, scout executive of the work done during the past year. This report will give an analysis showing wherein the council has been strong and where it might to good advantage make changes in its organization to strengthen it materially and be of greater service to the boyhood of the community.

There are at present six troops in the Brainerd area with a total enrollment of 126 scouts. The troops are divided throughout the city as follows: No. 1 and No. 2 meet at the court house Monday evenings, No. 3 at the firehall in N. E., Tuesday evenings, No. 4 in the firehall in S. E., Wednesday evenings, No. 5 meets at the Congregational church, Monday evening, No. 7 at the K. of C. hall.

Wednesday evenings. The chairmen of the various troop committees should make a particular effort to represent their troop at this meeting.

Scouting was organized in this city five years ago.

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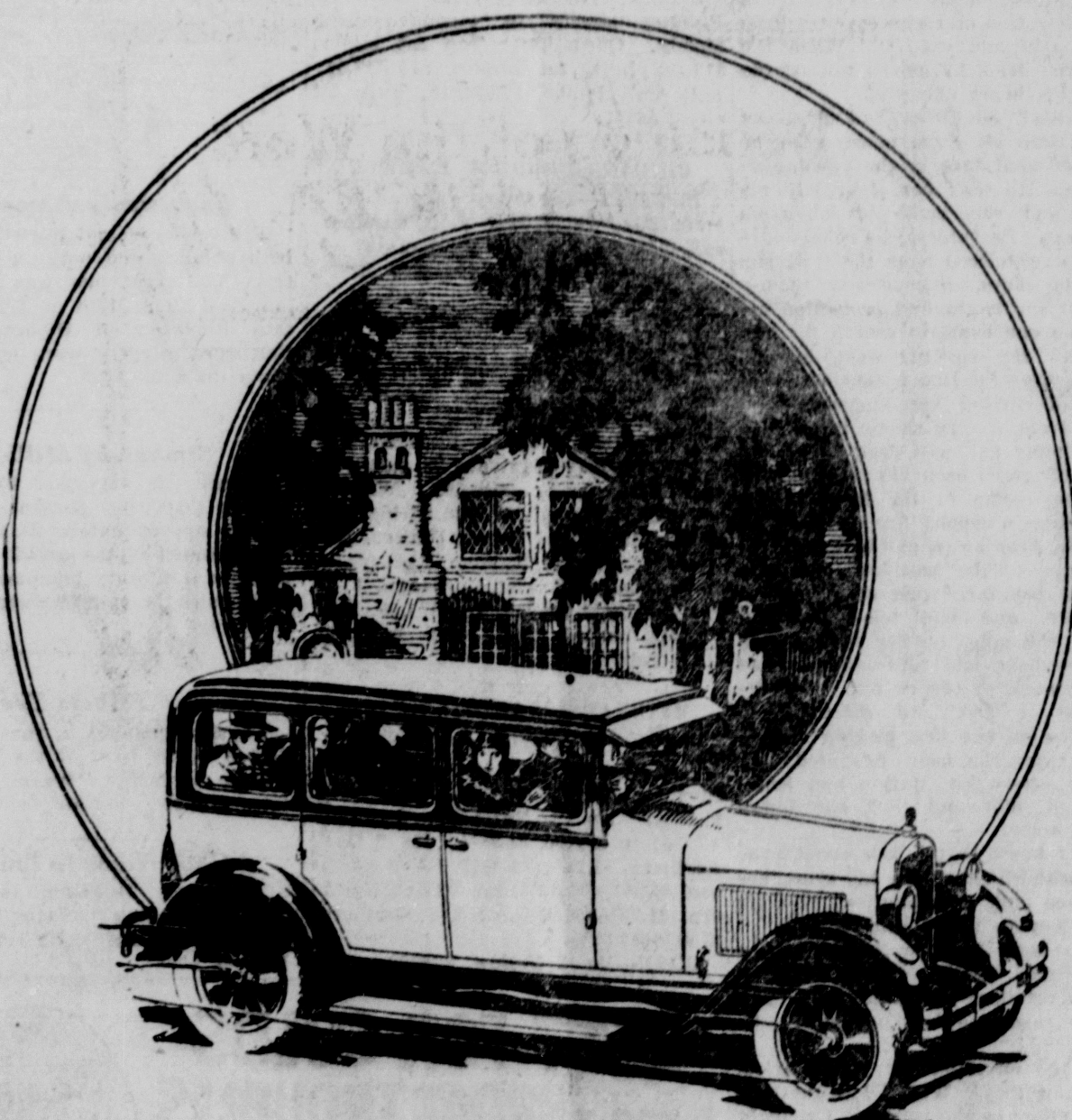
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W. B. A. HAVE INSTALLATION

Goodly Number Were in Attendance
at Iron Exchange
Hall

ON THURSDAY EVENING

Officers Installed by Past Grand
President Mrs. Anna
Dieckhaus.

Installation of the Women's Benefit Association was held in the Iron Exchange hall Thursday at 7:45. In spite of the zero weather a goodly number were in attendance. After the business meeting the following officers were installed by Past Grand President Mrs. Anna Dieckhaus assisted by Mrs. Edith Bentley and Mrs. Mable Yokie as Lady of Ceremonies.

Past President—Ellen Varner.
President—Elinor Backen.
Vice President—Mary Burns, re-elected.
Recording Secretary—Harriette Jenkins, re-elected.
Financial Secretary—Marie Lawrence, reappointed.
Treasurer—Lillian Babcock, re-elected.
Chaplain—Rose Potter, re-elected.
Lady of Ceremonies—Cozy White.
Sergeant—Marie Schultz.
Musician—Leo Stallman.
Inner Hostess—Beda Reyff.
Outer Hostess—Mrs. Retlinger.
Captain—Marie Mitchell, re-appointed.
Color Bearer No. 1—Emma Finley.
Color Bearer No. 2—Lucile Finley.
Publicity Reporter—Ellen M. Varner.

Each officer installed was presented with a red rose by the Lady of Ceremonies. After the installation the installing officer, Mrs. Anna Dieckhaus, presented the outgoing president, Mrs. Ellen Varner with a silver sandwich tray as a token of appreciation for her service during the term. Mrs. Dieckhaus was also presented with a similar gift. During the social hour Mrs. Emma Sorenson gave two excellent readings, after which a dainty luncheon was served by the committee.

BUILDS FAST ICE BOAT

Constructed by J. F. Germaine Formerly of Brainerd; Attains
High Speed

A former Brainerd boy, Charles Germaine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Germaine, 614 North 10th street Brainerd, has built a speedy iceboat that furnishes thrills for the Bemidji populace.

After two years work Charles Germaine has finished the ice sled, propelled by a 120 horsepower Le Rhone rotary motor, at the Bemidji machine shop. He will run the boat on Lake Bemidji Sundays for passenger service.

The ship is 32 feet long and capable of making 134 miles an hour on clear ice. It has accommodations for seven passengers and a driver. As far as its builder knows there is not another machine like it in the world.

"I worked on the plans of the ship for six months before I was satisfied it would look like something when completed," Germaine said.

Mrs. Archie Falconer and Mrs. Elmer Olson, Brainerd are sisters of the builder.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 23.—(UP)—Lloyd Centelli, 33, was held L. Jackson, 37. Police arrested here for the murder of Mrs. Marion Centelli after Mrs. Jackson's body was found in her automobile. A few days previously she told police, "If I am ever murdered look for Centelli."

GOETHALS

A man went down to Panama
Where many a man had died,
To slit the sliding mountains
And lift the eternal tide:
A man stood up in Panama,
And the mountains stood aside.

The Power that wrought the tide and
peak
Wrought mightier the seer;
And the One who made the isthmus
He made the engineer;
And the good God He made Goethals
To cleave the hemisphere.
—Percy Mackays.

OLD RESIDENT OF BRAINERD DIES

Mrs. Maren Thompson Passed Away
Yesterday Morning at Age
of 88 Years

BORN IN DENMARK

Came to Brainerd in 1886; Survived
by Four Sons; Funeral
Rites Tomorrow

Mrs. Maren Thompson passed away yesterday at her residence, at 1120 South Oak street at the age of 88 years. She had been a resident of Brainerd since 1886. Death resulted from old age.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Denmark, June 20, 1839 and was married in Denmark to Christ Thompson in 1866. The family came to Brainerd in 1886 from Denmark. Mr. Thompson died on September 2, 1902.

She was the mother of seven boys, three of whom died in infancy in Denmark. Those surviving are: Sam, of Nokay Lake township, Thomas, of Minneapolis. Jep of Brainerd, and John of Annandale, also five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon from the house at 2 o'clock and from the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Bolstad officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Peter McGivern Fractures
Wrist and Hip; Taken to
Hospital

Mrs. Peter McGivern, 417 South 8th street is a patient in the St. Joseph's hospital with a fractured wrist and hip received Saturday afternoon when she fell down behind the depot.

She was on her way to visit her brother, James Kelley, a patient at the hospital.

SCOUT PROMOTERS MEET HERE TONIGHT

Annual Meeting of Brainerd Area to
be Held in Chamber of
Commerce

RECEIVE YEAR REPORTS

Analysis of Work Done and Program
for Year Outlined by
Executive

The annual meeting of the Brainerd area, Crow Wing Scout council will be held this evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 7:30 o'clock at which time reports for the year will be received and plans constructed for the following year.

Officers will also be elected. Present officers are: S. R. Adair, president as well as head of the Crow Wing Council; R. E. Wyett, chairman of finance; D. R. Gray, treasurer.

Reports will be received from Mr. Gray and B. Perry Newton, scout executive of the work done during the past year. This report will give an analysis showing wherein the council has been strong and where it might to good advantage make changes in its organization to strengthen it materially and be of greater service to the boyhood of the community.

There are at present six troops in the Brainerd area with a total enrollment of 126 scouts. The troops are divided throughout the city as follows: No. 1 and No. 2 meet at the court house Monday evenings, No. 3 at the firehall in N. E., Tuesday evenings, No. 4 in the firehall in S. E., Wednesday evenings, No. 5 meets at the Congregational church, Monday evening, No. 7 at the K. of C. hall.

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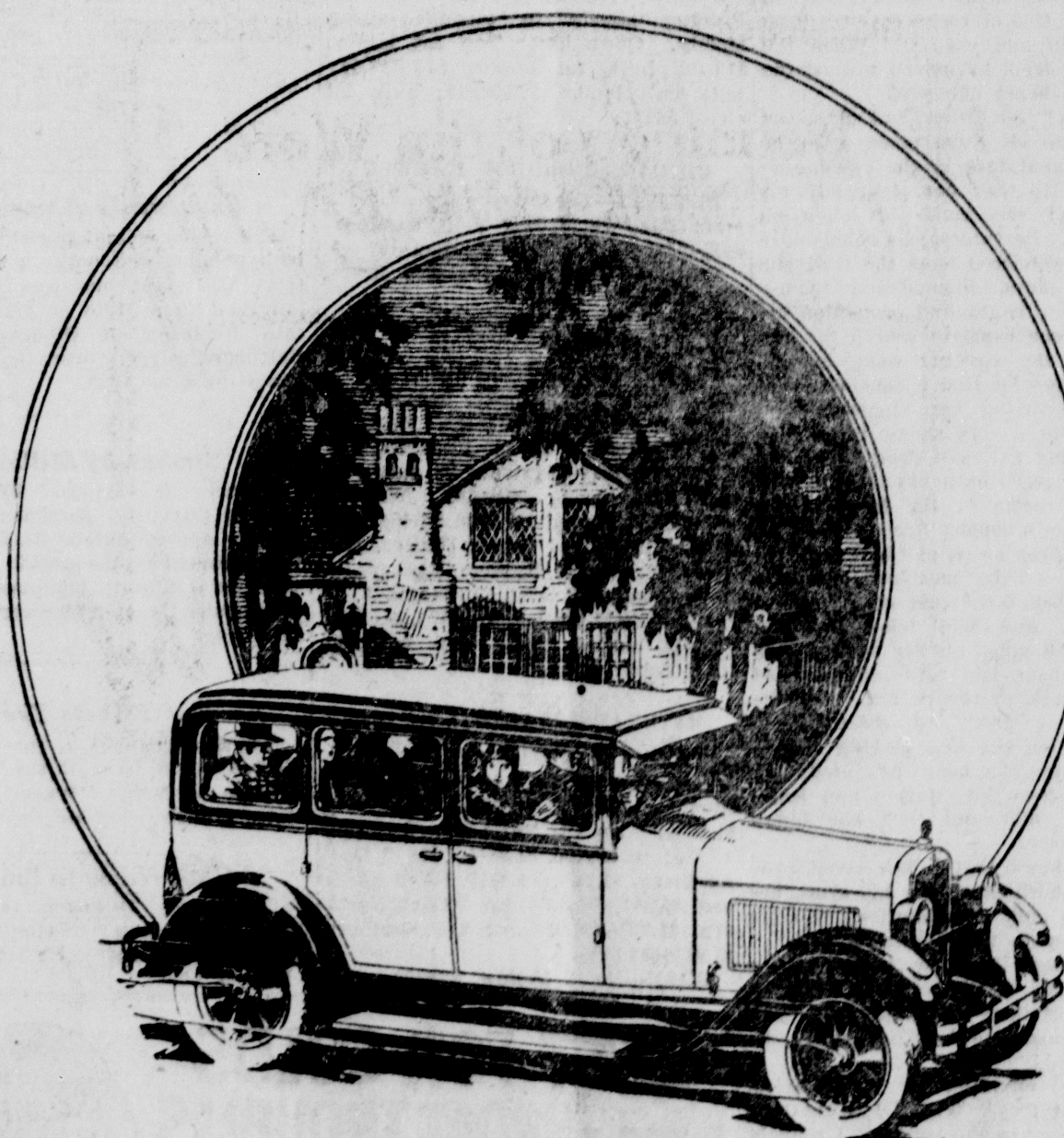
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ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

The Magna Charta

A MAN lay writhing among the rushes and straw that covered the floor of his palace on the night of June 15, 1215. He was foaming at the mouth, biting the rushes to fragments and filling the spacious apartment with blasphemy and lamentations.

The man was John, king of England. He had that day been forced to sign a document that cut down his own tyrannical powers and granted certain just rights to his people. How unwillingly he had affixed his signature was proven by the babyish rage he gave way to as soon as he reached his own abode.

Nearly a century and a half had passed since the Norman conquest. Norman and Saxon were becoming blended into one consolidated English race. It needed but a mutual grievance to make that blend complete. And the grievance was at hand.

Richard, the "Lion Heart," descendant of the Conqueror and John's predecessor as king of England, had passed most of his life in France. His courage and rough integrity had made him a popular monarch, although he knew no word of English. He had done brilliant, if ineffective, work in the Crusades, and, on his way home, had been captured and thrown into an Austrian prison. John, his brother, had taken advantage of his absence to make an effort to seize the English crown. Richard was the typical knight errant, the highest type of chivalry. John, on the contrary, was a coward and an all-around scoundrel. The nation raised money for Richard's ransom and he returned home, only to be killed in battle soon after.

Richard died without leaving any children. The natural heir to the throne was thus Prince Arthur, son of Richard's next younger brother, Geoffrey. But John threw Arthur into prison, had his eyes put out with hot irons and at last murdered him, thus securing the crown for himself. Having done so, he launched out on a career of tyranny, oppression and misrule worthy of Nero. But the people of England were not so submissive as had been those of Rome. They grumbled at John's exactions and recalled with longing the fair and semi-socialistic laws that had governed England in the good old Saxon days of Edward the Confessor. For by this time the many grave faults of the Saxon rule were forgotten and only its virtues remembered.

Yet in their discontent Norman barons and Saxon farmer were at one, the king and his tyranny being their common foe. The barons, representing alike the nobility and the people, drew up a modified sort of Declaration of Independence. This document they called the Magna Charta (grand charter), and they presented it to King John for signature.

This charter was the keystone of Anglo-Saxon liberty, and was in a way the basis of many of our most important laws. Among other things it put an end to unjust punishment and provided that every prisoner receive a fair trial by a jury of his peers. It also authorized resistance to arbitrary royal power and put law and the will of the people ahead of the mere dictates of the king.

Naturally John refused point-blank to sign a document that would cut his power in half and give justice to the plain people, whom he despised. But the barons were prepared for such a refusal. They rose in arms and intimidated the cowardly sovereign into granting the people their rights, and demanded that he sign the document.

On June 15, 1215, John and the barons met at Runnymede, a little island in the middle of a river. There the Magna Charta was read aloud to the king, while a circle of stern men, armed to the teeth and in no mood to listen to refusal, stood threateningly about him. The scared monarch signed the charter under this force and then rushed home in a paroxysm of impotent fury.

Recovering his senses, he cast about like a cornered rat, for some way to undo what he had done. A brilliant idea came to him. Some time before, being frightened by a papal threat, he had become formally a liege servant to the pope. He now sent to the Vatican, explaining his ill-luck and begging for aid. In reply the Pope at once issued a decree declaring the Magna Charta null and void, and excommunicating all who should seek to uphold it.

But the barons and people of England were too thoroughly aroused to be affected by even this command. They stood by the Magna Charta and prepared to defend their rights to the death. With a vast army of foreign mercenaries, John ravaged his own kingdom in a mad effort to secure submission to his tyranny. In retaliation the barons declared he was no longer their king, and invited Louis, king of France, to come and reign over them.

The deadlock was broken by John's death. His infant son, Henry III, succeeded to the throne, and a new era of honest law slowly dawned, based on the charter's principles.

To the courage and manhood of her barons and plain people England owes her rise to greatness. But for them she might for centuries longer have wallowed in the slough of despotism and oppression.

Make Scrap Books From Discarded Flour Bags

Scrap books are one of the most welcome donations that veterans' and children's hospitals can receive. They are flexible, light to hold and will stand a great deal of punishment. A cloth scrap book is still going strong when a magazine is dropping to pieces. Making these scrap books, then, is one of the most helpful and sensible projects that any individual or group, such as an aid society, guild, neighborhood group or Sunday school class, could undertake, and one of the least expensive.

Empty flour bags such as almost any baker will let you have for a few



An Attractive Scrap Book Made From Empty Flour Bag.

cents each are used for making the books. It is never hard to get donations of magazines and these, with some glue or rubber cement, are the only materials needed. The bags are first ripped and the stamping removed by covering it with lard or soaking it in kerosene overnight and then washing out in lukewarm water. The cloth is about 36 by 42 inches. One bag will make a 24-page book with the leaves 10 by 12. It is sewn through the middle with embroidery twist. The edges may be left raw or pinked.

The cover page should be bright and attractive and of fairly heavy paper. The contents should be chosen with a good deal of care. Be sure to select articles set in large type. One suggestion is to take all the installments of some popular story that has appeared serially and paste them up in a single scrap book, including the illustrations. Another is to have a miscellany of light verse, sketches, short stories, articles of popular interest, jokes, and cross-word puzzles. The answers to the puzzles should be put in the back of the book.

In making scrap books for children, the range of material can be greater and may include pretty valentines and Christmas cards, animal cut-outs, simple puzzles and clippings from some of the splendid children's magazines.

Hudson Seal Used to Trim Coats and Gowns

Hudson seal is the first of the heavier furs to be cut up into the complicated pieces and incrustations that are now so much in vogue for coats and gowns of silk and wool. Henri Vergue shows some of the most ambitious of these intricately seamed effects. One coat of Hudson seal was seamed both front and back in a series of laddering V's and was draped to the left. Almost everything imaginable has been done to fur heretofore except to drape it—it has always been considered too bulky for that—but this coat manages to introduce draping and still retain both its slenderness and chic.

Muffs have come back! Rather shrinking and inconspicuous little muffs, to be sure, but muffs for all that. Generally they are made in a semi-circular shape about twelve inches across. If a small, round and flat pillow, with a gathered puffing encircling it, were to be cut in two, the result would look very much like these little muffs. They are made in breitschwartz, in shaved lamb or in any of the clipped furs of clothlike texture.

Ball, Lozenge-Shaped Pendants, Paris Mode

The latest piece of costume jewelry adopted by Paris is the big ball or lozenge-shaped pendant which is attached to the blouse or dress with the wrap-around or side closing, at the left side of the blouse, high up.

Jade green or pink, coral, cornelian, amber and crystal are used for the pendants, but jade is by far the most popular. Sometimes two of the pendants are used but the precedent followed by the smartest designers is one only. The ornaments are equally popular for silk or woolen costumes.

Good Combination

Angora is an important combining feature in the new sports type frocks. For instance, bright blue velvet and a lighter blue angora combine in one model. Pale gray angora is used with black wool crepe in another.

A Friend in the Storm

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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THAT year, the storms were unusually severe over the mountains until at last there came what was afterwards called "The Great Storm." Great snowdrifts covered the whole range and there was no sign of life except in the valley below, where smoke curled up from huge chimneys, and men shoveled their way from house to barns, and again to the high road, broken by snow plows so that everybody in the village could reach the stores, the church and the doctor.

When people got together at the post office, where no mail was expected that day because the snow was so deep that the post-office rider could not reach the railroad, somebody mentioned the school teacher, Miss Marion Rock.

"Has anybody heard from Miss Rock yet?"

"Isn't she at home—at Deacon Phillips'?"

"No—no one has seen her since yesterday afternoon—after church. She took her snowshoes and a basket of goodies that Mrs. Phillips was sending to her sister on the other side of the mountain. Miss Marion is a great walker, you know, but they are afraid that she was lost in the snowstorm. Mrs. Phillips telephoned to her sister and it seems that Miss Marion reached there, left the basket, and started right home again. They are getting up a searching party at Vandalia's now."

The group of rescuers started. Tom Mason had slipped away on his own hook. He had lived all his days here among the hills, and believed that he knew every foot of the way, every cup and hollow, every outstanding ledge, and every pine-clad glade. He intended to take the path that Marion Rock had taken. Unless she had wandered from the trail—Tom swallowed hard when he thought of that possibility. He had learned to love the teacher, and hoped that she might some day care for him enough to be his wife.

The large party of searchers scattered all over the mountain, searching, calling, calling. Tom rapidly covered the distance over the mountain to Mrs. Phillips' sister's place, and then he turned back, a sickening fear tearing at his heart. When he came back he broke a new trail north of the old one—perhaps Marion had wandered a little—Suddenly, a thought struck him. What would a sensible girl like the school teacher do under such circumstances? Look for shelter, of course. As there was no cabin or other structure, she would, of course, go to the trees! The good old pine trees, perhaps, where they had lunched that summer's day when they had climbed the mountain! That was not far away—and in ten minutes he came in sight of that small grove of tall, green pines.

Something rushed through the trees and lumbered toward him—of all things in midwinter! A brown bear which should have been sleeping in its hollow tree or rocky cavern. Tom had a gun and used it. When the bear was dead, he moved toward the pines, his heart like lead.

"Marion!" he called, and his heart leaped into its right place when he saw her glad face in the opening of a cave. He took her right into his arms, and she made no objection whatever. Her story was soon told—she had wandered from the trail and seen the pines, remembered them—thought she might find protection until some one came to search for her. She saw the cavern, went in and built a fire—for like a sensible scout she had carried her knapsack—and smoked out a very sleepy bear. She immediately gathered dead sticks and broke off green branches to burn. She took possession of the front of the cave—kept a smoky fire all night to keep the bear away, and had not slept a wink. This morning she had washed her face with snow, rebuilt her fire, and had tried to walk among the pines on her snowshoes—but the bear had returned and had rushed back to the cavern. But she reached it first and threw green branches on the fire, making such a smoke that the bear retreated. A minute afterward, Marion had heard the gun shot and then she heard Tom's voice.

"So I knew that I was saved," she said, withdrawing from his arms, her fair face pink with blushes. "I don't know how to thank you, Tom."

"You don't have to thank me," he said gruffly. "Of course I consider it a privilege—a special privilege."

"To save me?" she asked demurely.

"To do anything for you, Marion, you know that! Why, I'd be the happiest fellow in the world if I thought you loved me a little bit."

"I should think," she said, clinging to his arm as they snowshoed down the mountain, "that—loving you—just a little bit—would not be as satisfactory as, perhaps, loving you with all my heart."

"I would be worth more than a little bit," he said humbly, and then catching sight of her lovely, embarrassed face, he stopped and caught her to his heart. "Darling!" he gasped.

"More than all the world, Tommy," she whispered, and when they met the searching party they all joined forces, and the bear was taken down, too.

The Tom Masons have a huge bearskin rug in front of the living-room fire.

LIVESTOCK, PRODUCE AND GRAIN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Jan. 23.—(By Department of Agriculture)—CATTLE—Receipts, 17,000. Market: Better grade fed steers steady; others weak to slightly lower; general trade very slow; bidding weak to 25c lower on fat cows and butcher calves; bulls steady; vealers to big packers mostly 50c lower; best fed steers early \$17.50; some held around \$18.50; bulk of quality and condition to sell at \$13.50 to \$15.50; heavy sausage bulls up to \$8.65; bulk \$8.40; odd lots selected shipper calves up to \$15; mostly \$14 to \$15; light kinds \$12 to \$13; mostly \$12.50 to \$13.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000. Market: Lambs active, strong to 15c higher; bulk better grade lambs 82-90 lbs \$13.50 to \$13.85; best held above \$14; fed good 92-100 lb offerings \$12.75 to \$13.25; 100-108 lb throwouts \$12 to \$12.25; sheep steady; fat ewes \$7 to \$7.25; top \$7.50; feeding lambs firm; bulk desirable kinds \$12.50 to \$13; mixed fat and feeding lambs scaling around 72 lbs \$13.40.

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CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET
BUTTER—Creamery: Extras, 46c; standards, 44½ to 45c. Dairy: Firsts, 41½ to 43c; seconds, 38 to 40½c. EGGS—Ordinaries, 40 to 43c; firsts, 45 to 45½c. CHEESE—Twins, 26½c; Young Americas, 27½c. LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, heavy, 24c; small, 19c. Ducks, heavy, 23c; small, 18c. Geese, 17 to 18c. Springs, 27c. Turkeys, 25 to 28c. Roosters, 19c.

POTATOES—Arrivals 93 cars; on track 258; in transit 661. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, \$1.45 to \$1.55. Minnesota sacked Round Whites, Red River Ohios and Russets, \$1.40 to \$1.50. Idaho sacked Russet Burbanks, \$1.70 to \$1.85; partly graded, \$1.50 to \$1.60. New Florida bushel crates and hampers Bliss Triumphs, \$2.

MINNEAPOLIS CLOSING CASH PRICES
SPRING WHEAT—No. 1 Dark Northern, \$1.27½ to \$1.73½; to arrive, \$1.26½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.26½ to \$1.39½; to arrive, \$1.25½. No. 2 Dark Northern, \$1.24½ to \$1.68½. No. 2 Northern, \$1.24½ to \$1.37½. No. 3 Dark Northern, \$1.22½ to \$1.63½. No. 3 Northern, \$1.21½ to \$1.32½. CORN—No. 2 Yellow, \$7 to \$8.9c. No.

3 Yellow, 84 to 86c; to arrive, 82c. No. 4 Yellow, 81 to 83c. No. 5 Yellow, 77 to 79c. No. 3 Mixed, 80 to 82c. No. 4 Mixed, 77 to 79c. No. 5 Mixed, 73 to 75c. OATS—No. 2 White, 53½ to 55½c. No. 3 White, 51½ to 53½c; to arrive, 51½c. No. 4 White, 50½ to 52½c. BARLEY—Choice to fancy, 85 to 86c; medium to good, 82 to 84c; lower grades, 79 to 81c. RYE—No. 2, \$1.03 to \$1.04; to arrive, \$1.03. FLAXSEED—No. 1, \$2.16 to \$2.24; to arrive, \$2.16.

ST. PAUL PRODUCE MARKET

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butterfat, 50 to 51c. Eggs, No. 1, 38 to 40c.

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DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, range, 25 to 36c. Geese, 18 to 19c. Ducks, 23 to 24c. Capons, 27 to 32c. Chickens 2 cents above live quotations.

OKLAHOMA LAD

BRANDISHES GUNS

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 23.—(UP)—After he had frightened residents of the Newport hotel here by brandishing two revolvers, Herman Jerguson, 18, was shot by police and placed in a hospital for treatment and observation.

A half dozen patrolmen answered the call from the hotel. He was wounded as he fled across the street after drawing a gun in response to a command to halt.

Officers expressed the belief that he was suffering hallucinations. His wounds were reported slight.

Know Your Sweetheart by His Handwriting

By EDNA PURDY WALSH
Editor, Character Reading Magazine.

Is He Tenacious?

Let's trim

Has he the bulldog grip? Has he this grip on the purpose of life or some fancy a bulldog grip on him?

Tenacity of purpose is a rare quality. Often some people are tenacious when they should not be and not enough so when they should be. Then they are called stubborn.

If you would know a writer's mental attitude on this subject without engaging him in argument, simply look for the t bar hook. If you find that at the end of a dash, t bar or terminal he makes a little hook, similar to a fish-hook, the conclusion may be safely recorded that this writer hangs on to his own ideas with a grip that is almost furious. If this writer could get a grip on his life work as he has on some of his pet hobbies or theories, he would be a winner.

If the lower loop of the letter f is brought up to its finish on the left-hand side of the down stroke, the writer has little tenacity and is easily influenced—especially when under emotional strain. Heavy down strokes also indicate tenacity.

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Exclusively American

The schooner and the clipper were both planned and built in this country. The first one was built and launched about 1713 or 1714 by Captain Robinson of Gloucester. The Baltimore clippers were launched at about the same time.

Spoken by Millions

French is spoken by approximately 60,000,000 persons and Spanish by approximately 55,000,000 persons throughout the world. French is more of a literary language; the use of Spanish is more widespread commercially.

Air Affects Trees

Physical changes in the air are reflected in the lives of the trees, says Nature Magazine. Warm air stimulates growth; cold air checks it.

Gave Name to Empire

The word "Ottoman" is from the Turkish Ottoman, founder of the Turkish empire in Asia. He reigned from 1288 to 1326.

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Two cents per word for first insertion; one cent each issue thereafter

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FOR RENT — Completely modern house, North side. Phone 793-W. 678-148tf

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FOR RENT — One large furnished bedroom one block from business district. Address "B" care of Dispatch. 994-196tf

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WOOD FOR SALE—Big truck load, \$7.00, 16 inch wood. Phone 44. 979-1943ped

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FOR SALE — 1925 Nash "Special Six" 4-wheel brakes, 4 new balloon cord tires, 2 extras. This car is in splendid condition, has had the best of care. Can be seen at my cottage, Ojibwa Park. Mr. Larson the caretaker there will show it. John L. Smith, 211 South 4th Street, Minneapolis. 969-1932ced

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Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

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THE WORLD'S GREAT EVENTS

ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

The Magna Charta

MAN lay writhing among the rushes and straw that covered the floor of his palace on the night of June 15, 1215. He was frowning at the mouth, biting the rushes to fragments and filling the spacious apartment with blasphemy and lamentations.

The man was John, king of England. He had that day been forced to sign a document that cut down his own tyrannical powers and granted certain just rights to his people. How unwillingly he had affixed his signature was proven by the babyish rage he gave way to as soon as he reached his own abode.

Nearly a century and a half had passed since the Norman conquest. Norman and Saxon were becoming blended into one consolidated English race. It needed but a mutual grievance to make that blend complete. And the grievance was at hand.

Richard, the "Lion Heart," descendant of the Conqueror and John's predecessor as king of England, had passed most of his life in France. His courage and rough integrity had made him a popular monarch, although he knew no word of English. He had done brilliant, if ineffective, work in the Crusades, and, on his way home, had been captured and thrown into an Austrian prison. John, his brother, had taken advantage of his absence to make an effort to seize the English crown. Richard was the typical knight errant, the highest type of chivalry. John, on the contrary, was a coward and an all-around scoundrel. The nation raised money for Richard's ransom and he returned home, only to be killed in battle soon after.

Richard died without leaving any children. The natural heir to the throne was thus Prince Arthur, son of Richard's next younger brother, Geoffrey. But John threw Arthur into prison, had his eyes put out with hot irons and at last murdered him, thus securing the crown for himself. Having done so, he launched out on a career of tyranny, oppression and misrule worthy of Nero. But the people of England were not so submissive as had been those of Rome. They grumbled at John's exactions and recalled with longing the fair and semi-socialistic laws that had governed England in the good old Saxon days of Edward the Confessor. For by this time the many grave faults of the Saxon rule were forgotten and only its virtues remembered.

Yet in their discontent Norman barons and Saxon farmers were at one, the king and his tyranny being their common foe. The barons, representing alike the nobility and the people, drew up a modified sort of Declaration of Independence. This document they called the Magna Charta (grand charter), and they presented it to King John for signature.

This charter was the keystone of Anglo-Saxon liberty, and was in a way the basis of many of our most important laws. Among other things it put an end to unjust punishment and provided that every prisoner receive a fair trial by a jury of his peers. It also authorized resistance to arbitrary royal power and put law and the will of the people ahead of the mere dictates of the king.

Naturally John refused point-blank to sign a document that would cut his power in half and give justice to the plain people, whom he despised. But the barons were prepared for such a refusal. They rose in arms and intimidated the cowardly sovereign into granting the people their rights, and demanded that he sign the document.

On June 15, 1215, John and the barons met at Runnymede, a little island in the middle of a river. There the Magna Charta was read aloud to the king, while a circle of stern men, armed to the teeth and in no mood to listen to refusal, stood threateningly about him. The scared monarch signed the charter under this force and then rushed home in a paroxysm of impotent fury.

Recovering his senses, he cast about like a cornered rat, for some way to undo what he had done. A brilliant idea came to him. Some time before, being frightened by a papal threat, he had become formally a liege servant to the pope. He now sent to the Vatican, explaining his ill-luck and begging for aid. In reply the Pope at once issued a decree declaring the Magna Charta null and void, and excommunicating all who should seek to uphold it.

But the barons and people of England were too thoroughly aroused to be affected by even this command. They stood by the Magna Charta and prepared to defend their rights to the death. With a vast army of foreign mercenaries, John ravaged his own kingdom in a mad effort to secure submission to his tyranny. In retaliation the barons declared he was no longer their king, and invited Louis, king of France, to come and reign over them.

The deadlock was broken by John's death. His infant son, Henry III, succeeded to the throne, and a new era of honest law slowly dawned, based on the charter's principles.

To the courage and manhood of her barons and plain people England owes her rise to greatness. But for them she might for centuries longer have wallowed in the slough of despotism and oppression.

Make Scrap Books From Discarded Flour Bags

Scrap books are one of the most welcome donations that veterans' and children's hospitals can receive. They are flexible, light to hold and will stand a great deal of punishment. A cloth scrap book is still going strong when a magazine is dropping to pieces. Making these scrap books, then, is one of the most helpful and sensible projects that any individual or group, such as an aid society, guild, neighborhood group or Sunday school class, could undertake, and one of the least expensive.

Empty flour bags such as almost any baker will let you have for a few



An Attractive Scrap Book Made From Empty Flour Bag.

cents each are used for making the books. It is never hard to get donations of magazines and these, with some glue or rubber cement, are the only materials needed. The bags are first ripped and the stamping removed by covering it with lard or soaking it in kerosene overnight and then washing out in lukewarm water. The cloth is about 36 by 42 inches. One bag will make a 24-page book with the leaves 10 by 12. It is sewn through the middle with embroidery twist. The edges may be left raw or pinked.

The cover page should be bright and attractive and of fairly heavy paper. The contents should be chosen with a good deal of care. Be sure to select articles set in large type. One suggestion is to take all the installments of some popular story that has appeared serially and paste them up in a single scrap book, including the illustrations. Another is to have a miscellany of light verse, sketches, short stories, articles of popular interest, jokes, and cross-word puzzles. The answers to the puzzles should be put in the back of the book.

In making scrap books for children, the range of material can be greater and may include pretty valentines and Christmas cards, animal cut-outs, simple puzzles and clippings from some of the splendid children's magazines.

Hudson Seal Used to Trim Coats and Gowns

Hudson seal is the first of the heavier furs to be cut up into the complicated pieces and incrustations that are now so much in vogue for coats and gowns of silk and wool. Henri Vergne shows some of the most ambitious of these intricately seamed effects. One coat of Hudson seal was seamed both front and back in a series of laddering V's and was draped to the left. Almost everything imaginable has been done to fur heretofore except to drape it—it has always been considered too bulky for that—but this coat manages to introduce draping and still retain both its slenderness and chic.

Muffs have come back! Rather shrinking and inconspicuous little muffs, to be sure, but muffs for all that. Generally they are made in a semi-circular shape about twelve inches across. If a small, round and flat pillow, with a gathered puffing encircling it, were to be cut in two, the result would look very much like these little muffs. They are made in breitschwartz, in shaven lamb or in any of the clipped furs of clothlike texture.

Ball, Lozenge-Shaped Pendants, Paris Mode

The latest piece of costume jewelry adopted by Paris is the big ball or lozenge-shaped pendant which is attached to the blouse or dress with the wrap-around or side closing, at the left side of the blouse, high up.

Jade green or pink, coral, cornelian, amber and crystal are used for the pendants, but jade is by far the most popular. Sometimes two of the pendants are used but the precedent followed by the smartest designers is one only. The ornaments are equally popular for silk or woolen costumes.

Good Combination

Angora is an important combining feature in the new sport type frocks. For instance, bright blue velvet and a lighter blue angora combine in one model. Pale gray angora is used with black wool crepe in another.

A Friend in the Storm

By CLARISSA MACKIE

(Copyright.)

THAT year, the storms were unusually severe over the mountains until at last there came what was afterwards called "The Great Storm." Great snowdrifts covered the whole range and there was no sign of life except in the valley below, where smoke curled up from huge chimneys, and men shoveled their way from house to barn, and again to the high road, broken by snow plows so that everybody in the village could reach the stores, the church and the doctor.

When people got together at the post office, where no mail was expected that day because the snow was so deep that the post-office rider could not reach the railroad, somebody mentioned the school teacher, Miss Marion Rock.

"Has anybody heard from Miss Rock yet?"

"Isn't she at home—at Deacon Phillips'?"

"No—no one has seen her since yesterday afternoon—after church. She took her snowshoes and a basket of goodies that Mrs. Phillips was sending to her sister on the other side of the mountain. Miss Marion is a great walker, you know, but they are afraid that she was lost in the snowstorm. Mrs. Phillips telephoned to her sister and it seems that Miss Marion reached there, left the basket, and started right home again. They are getting up a searching party at Vandalia's now."

The group of rescuers stared. Tom Mason had slipped away on his own hook. He had lived all his days here among the hills, and believed that he knew every foot of the way, every cup and hollow, every outstanding ledge, and every pine-clad glade. He intended to take the path that Marion Rock had taken. Unless she had wandered from the trail—Tom swallowed hard when he thought of this possibility. He had learned to love the teacher, and hoped that she might some day care for him enough to be his wife.

The large party of searchers scattered all over the mountain, searching, calling, calling. Tom rapidly covered the distance over the mountain to Mrs. Phillips' sister's place, and then he turned back, a sickening fear tearing at his heart. When he came back he broke a new trail north of the old one—perhaps Marion had wandered a little—Suddenly, a thought struck him. What would a sensible girl like the school teacher do under such circumstances? Look for shelter, of course. As there was no cabin or other structure, she would, of course, go to the trees! The good old pine trees, perhaps, where they had lunched that summer's day when they had climbed the mountain! That was not far away—and in ten minutes he came in sight of that small grove of tall, green pines.

Something rushed through the trees and lumbered toward him—of all things in midwinter! A brown bear which should have been sleeping in its hollow tree or rocky cavern. Tom had a gun and used it. When the bear was dead, he moved toward the pines, his heart like lead.

"Marion!" he called, and his heart leaped into its right place when he saw her glad face in the opening of a cave. He took her right into his arms, and she made no objection whatever. Her story was soon told—she had wandered from the trail and seen the pines, remembered them—thought she might find protection until some one came to search for her. She saw the cavern, went in and built a fire—for like a sensible scout she had carried her knapsack—and smoked out a very sleepy bear. She immediately gathered dead sticks and broke off green branches to burn. She took possession of the front of the cave—kept a smoky fire all night to keep the bear away, and had not slept a wink. This morning she had washed her face with snow, rebuilt her fire, and had tried to walk among the pines on her snowshoes—but the bear had returned and had rushed back to the cavern. But she reached it first and threw green branches on the fire, making such a smoke that the bear retreated. A minute afterward, Marion had heard the gun shot and then she heard Tom's voice.

"So I knew that I was saved," she said, withdrawing from his arms, her fair face pink with blushes. "I don't know how to thank you, Tom."

"You don't have to thank me," he said gruffly. "Of course I consider it a privilege—a special privilege."

"To save me?" she asked demurely.

"To do anything for you, Marion, you know that! Why, I'd be the happiest fellow in the world if I thought you loved me a little bit."

"I should think," she said, clinging to his arm as they snowshoed down the mountain, "that—loving you—just a little bit—would not be as satisfactory as, perhaps, loving you with all my heart."

"I would be worth more than a little bit," he said humbly, and then catching sight of her lovely, embarrassed face, he stopped and caught her to his heart. "Darling!" he gasped.

"More than all the world, Tommy," she whispered, and when they met the searching party they all joined forces, and the bear was taken down, too.

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SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000. Market: Bidding steady to strong; sheep steady. Quotations: Top fat lambs, \$13.40; bulk fat lambs, \$13 to \$13.40; bulk cull lambs, \$9.50 to \$10; bulk fat ewes, \$6 to \$7.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER—Creamery: Extras, 46c; standards, 44½ to 45c. Dairy: Firsts, 41½ to 43c; seconds, 38 to 40½c. EGGS—Ordinaries, 40 to 43c; firsts, 45 to 45½c. CHEESE—Twins, 26½c; Young Americas, 27½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, heavy, 24c; small, 19c. Ducks, heavy, 23c; small, 18c. Geese, 17 to 18c. Springs, 27c. Turkeys, 25 to 28c. Roosters, 19c. POTATOES—Arrivals 93 cars; on track 258; in transit 661. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, \$1.45 to \$1.55. Minnesota sacked Round Whites, Red River Ohios and Russets, \$1.40 to \$1.50. Idaho sacked Russet Burbanks, \$1.70 to \$1.85; partly graded, \$1.50 to \$1.60. New Florida bushel crates and hampers Bliss Triumphs, \$2.

MINNEAPOLIS CLOSING CASH PRICES

SPRING WHEAT—No. 1, Dark Northern, \$1.27½ to \$1.31½; to arrive, \$1.26½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.26½ to \$1.39½; to arrive, \$1.25½. No. 2 Dark Northern, \$1.24½ to \$1.68½. No. 2 Northern, \$1.24½ to \$1.37½. No. 3 Dark Northern, \$1.22½ to \$1.63½. No. 3 Northern, \$1.21½ to \$1.32½. CORN—No. 2 Yellow, \$7 to \$8c. No.

3 Yellow, \$4 to \$6c; to arrive, \$2c. No. 4 Yellow, \$1 to \$3c. No. 5 Yellow, 77 to 79c. No. 2 Mixed, 80 to 82c. No. 4 Mixed, 77 to 79c. No. 5 Mixed, 73 to 75c. OATS—No. 2 White, 53½ to 55½c. No. 3 White, 51½ to 53½c; to arrive, 51½c. No. 4 White, 50½ to 52½c. BARLEY—Choice to fancy, 85 to 86c; medium to good, 82 to 84c; lower grades, 79 to 81c.

RYE—No. 2, \$1.03 to \$1.04; to arrive, \$1.03. FLAXSEED—No. 1, \$2.16 to \$2.24; to arrive, \$2.16.

ST. PAUL PRODUCE MARKET

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butterfat, 50 to 51c. Eggs, No. 1, 38 to 40c. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, range, 13 to 22c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, range, 25 to 36c. Geese, 18 to 19c. Ducks, 23 to 24c. Capons, 27 to 32c. Chickens 2 cents above live quotations.

OKLAHOMA LAD

BRANDISHES GUNS

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 23.—(UP)—After he had frightened residents of the Newport hotel here by brandishing two revolvers, Herman Jergeson, 18, was shot by police and placed in a hospital for treatment and observation.

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Know Your Sweetheart by His Handwriting

By EDNA PURDY WALSH

Editor, Character Reading Magazine.

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Has he the bulldog grip? Has he this grip on the purpose of life or some fancy a bulldog grip on him? Tenacity of purpose is a rare quality. Often some people are tenacious when they should not be and not enough so when they should be. Then they are called stubborn.

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